

SAMPSON ALSO MAKES PROTEST

Claims He Was Commander of the Fleet at Santiago.

CALL DOWN DEWEY

Fight Over the Report of the Board of Inquiry Promises To Be Hot.

SCHLEY HAS FRIENDS

Washington, Dec. 17.—Congressman Wheeler, democrat, of Kentucky, today introduced in the house a resolution for an investigation by the house committee on naval affairs into the conduct of Schley before and during the battle of Santiago. He said his reason for introducing the measure was the persistency of the Sampson press in declaring that Dewey agreed with the majority of the court in most of its findings and that the minority report meant nothing. Mr. Wheeler said: "I desire to go on the stand and give Admiral Dewey's interpretation of his report."

Sampson Will Protest
A new element is injected into the Schley controversy by reason of the reported intention of Sampson to file a protest against the minority report of Dewey. Sampson still contends that he was within signaling distance and therefore really in supreme command.

It is admitted at the navy department today that Sampson's attorneys have notified Secretary Long of their intention to file a formal protest against Dewey's opinion that Schley deserves credit for the victory of Santiago.

Schley for President
Washington, D. C., Dec. 17.—That Admiral Schley's friends are moving to make him the democratic candidate for president in 1904 is again made evident. In the senate Senator Jones introduced a resolution that congress thank Admiral Schley for the victory at Santiago. Other friends drafted another bill to appropriate \$10,000 for the purchase of a sword and medal for Schley. In discussing the controversy this morning General Felix Agnus, editor of the Baltimore American said:

"If this matter keeps on Admiral Schley will be the democratic candidate for president in 1904."

Letter From Schley to Long
Secretary Long desired to let the report of the Schley court of inquiry speak for itself without comment from himself, but Admiral Schley has made this impossible by carrying his case from the court to the secretary with the intimation that he will carry it to the president before he accepts the verdict against him. Admiral Schley sent to Sec. Long a letter requesting him to withhold his approval from the findings of the court until he (Schley) had an opportunity to file objections thereto. In the making of this request Schley was acting on the advice of his counsel.

About the same time Senator Jones, the democratic leader in congress, introduced in the senate his resolution tendering him the thanks of congress and the American people to Rear Admiral Schley for his distinguished conduct at Santiago on July 3, 1898, and requesting the president to cause the resolution to be communicated to Schley. This resolution is almost identical with that adopted by congress after the battle of Manila tendering the thanks of congress and the American people to Admiral Dewey and his men.

Making Schley a Martyr
Senator Jones had method in his presentation of this resolution to congress. He did not expect it to be adopted by the republican majority, but he did and does expect to pave the way for making Schley a martyr persecuted by the republican administration. Schley's friends in planning to make him the democratic candidate for president in 1904 believe that they can make it appear that he was the victim of a partisan administration that struck him down because he was a democrat. Admiral Schley may not be a party to this scheme but he has fallen into it and his action in filing a protest against the findings of the court is in harmony with it.

WILL ARBITRATE ALL DIFFERENCES

Representatives of Capital and Labor Form a Supreme Court for Settlement of All Difficulties.

New York, Dec. 17.—The plans of the representatives of capital and labor who are meeting here to bring about a closer feeling of harmony, is to appoint an executive committee to arbitrate all the differences. The committee consists of twenty-seven members composed equally of employers and employees and who are neutral. This committee will be a sort of supreme court for the peaceful settlement of all labor disputes of any magnitude.

BATTLE IS FEARED AT TAMPA, FLORIDA

Tampa, Fla., Dec. 17.—As the result of the ambushing of two Spaniards by a party of Cubans both sides are arming and a battle is feared. The police force has been increased.

THE PEERESSES APPEAR ANGRY

They Think the Coronation Robe Ordered Will Spoil the Figure and Try the Complexion.

London, December 17.—The exhibition at the Duke of Norfolk's house of the regulation robes, approved by the king and queen to be worn by the peers and peeresses at the coronation, has been followed by a storm of protest from the peeresses. They are preparing a petition to the queen asking her consent to a modification of the coronation costume in at least two particulars. They are that the dress as designed is utterly destructive of figure because of the thickness of the velvet around the waist. They also object to be compelled to wear ermine next to the throat, regarding it as ruinous to the complexion and most unbecoming. They cannot understand how the queen ever sanctioned such an "unsmart" costume and they vow they won't adopt it anyway.

The peers have not complained so far, though it needs an Apollo of whom there are few examples in the house of lords—to wear their red velvet, ermine-trimmed robes and silver gilt coronets with distinction.

AMERICAN TRUST IN A NEW FIELD

Tobacco Combine Securing Factories in Germany and Russia—Mr. Duke is Abroad.

Berlin, December 17.—Fresh from its conquests in England, the American Tobacco Trust has planted its flag in Germany, and is about to carry war into Russia. For 2,000,000 marks (\$476,000) the company has bought the Jasmatz cigarette factory in Dresden, the third largest in Germany with a capacity of 200,000,000 cigarettes a year. It has also acquired the business of the Kyrizal Brothers in Berlin, and with the control of the most popular brand of Egyptian cigarettes sold in Europe. These transactions were completed weeks ago, but only became known to the German trade today, following the arrival in Berlin of Mr. Duke, president of the American trust, en route to Russia, where he is credited with the intention of continuing his raiding operations.

CAPACITY OF 50 GLASSES PER DAY

Montana Brewer Declares on Oath in a Court That He Drinks That Much.

Helena, Mont., Dec. 17.—Julius Lehrking, the well-known Bozeman brewer, declared on the witness stand in the district court that he frequently consumed fifty glasses of beer in an evening without injuring his health or disturbing his mental equanimity.

Lehrking was suing John Stenbrenner for the price of a carload of malt, the latter claiming he never ordered the malt and would have no more use for it than he would for a white elephant. He claimed that Lehrking was intoxicated.

The plaintiff strenuously denied this last allegation. He admitted that he drank a couple of dozen glasses of beer at the time, but that his intellect was not the least befogged thereby. Then he declared that fifty glasses would not intoxicate him. Nevertheless the jury found in favor of Stenbrenner.

WORK OF STORM IN NEW ENGLAND

Boston, December 17.—Reports from the storm stricken districts of New England coming in this morning show a vast destruction done. So far it is learned three lives were lost and millions of dollars' worth of property destroyed.

EFFORTS TO STOP MACRONI'S PLANS

Cable Company Threatens an Injunction Unless He Leaves Newfoundland.

St. John's, N. F., December 17.—Macroni, who is highly pleased with his success in transatlantic wireless telegraphy, said to a correspondent last night that he expects to be able within a year to send two different messages over the same apparatus simultaneously between Cornwall and St. John's.

He says that he is already doing this between English stations 100 miles apart. Macroni was served with unexpected legal documents from the solicitors of the Anglo-American Telegraph company yesterday. These notify him that the company possesses an exclusive monopoly of the telegraph business within New Foundland and its dependencies, and demands that he cease his experiments forthwith, otherwise the company will apply to the supreme court for an injunction restraining him from further trials. Macroni has not yet decided what course of action he will take in the matter, but he regards this action on the part of the Anglo-American Telegraph Company as the best proof of the importance of his new discovery.

Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Hall of Johnston were in the city yesterday on a shopping trip.

FIRST MOVE IN ST. LOUIS EXPO.

High Officials of Nation and State to Gather Next Friday.

TO BREAK GROUND

Great World's Fair Which Will Commemorate the Louisiana Purchase.

SPLENDID PARADE ON

St. Louis, Dec. 17.—The weather permitting, all previous parades of every nature within trans-Mississippi country will be eclipsed by the one in preparation here for Friday, Dec. 20. By proclamation of the governors of all the states and territories within the Louisiana Purchase, that day will be observed as "Louisiana Purchase Day," commemorating the formal transfer of the western American empire from France to the United States, which occurred at New Orleans on December 20, 1803. In St. Louis the day will have special significance, for it will mark the actual beginning of the physical construction of an international exposition in beautiful Forest Park.

There has been an enthusiastic response to the invitations sent out by the World's Committee on Ceremonies, asking United States government and state officials, commercial bodies, military organizations, fraternal societies, political clubs, labor organizations, etc., to participate in the parade and ground breaking ceremonies.

General John C. Bates, U. S. Army, commanding the department of the Missouri, who, by the way, is a native Missourian, has notified the committee that he will be here, and that the troops now quartered at Jefferson Barracks, will participate in the parade. Gen. Bates has been invited by the committee to act as grand marshal of the parade and has accepted.

The governors of several states and territories have signified their intention of being present, accompanied by their military staffs and members of their World's Fair commissions. Congressman James A. Tawney of Minnesota will be the principal orator of the occasion, and Chairman Carter of the National World's Fair commission has requested the Hon. John M. Allen of Mississippi, to represent the commission. Representative newspaper men from Chicago, Kansas City, Omaha, Louisville, Indianapolis and other cities will be present.

All railroads entering St. Louis have made a rate of one and one-half fare for the round trip from all points within a radius of 150 miles.

MERRY WAR ON AT NEW RICHMOND

Certain Wives Assert They Are Being Neglected, and Propose to Retaliate on Their Husbands.

New Richmond, Wis., Dec. 17.—"Let's do it," protested one vehemently; "let's do it, by all means. I think our husbands are treating us outrageously, and it will only be paying them back in their own coin."

This declaration made by a young married woman to a number of her married sisters in this city a few days ago, found a ready and hearty support and as a result there is a merry war on between the madams and their better halves. Just where it will end is problematical, but it may find its culmination in a most interesting fashion at a dancing party to be given by the matrons tonight to which the heads of the houses will not be asked. The men so essential for the function will be taken exclusively from the ranks of the bachelors, of whom there is a goodly supply here.

Keen discord reigns in these otherwise happy homes, because, the women say, they are neglected and, fully aware of their prerogatives, have adopted the plan as outlined, to teach the erring spouses a long, lasting and severe lesson.

In defense, the husbands claim that business is so good, they are making so much money for "dearie" and the little ones, that they have not time for social matters; must go early to business and stay late, and that's all there is to it. Whether some compromise will be reached, and it does not now look like it would, remains to be seen, and the outcome is being eagerly watched.

A SOCIETY WOMAN KILLED IN HER ROOM

Harriet Murphy of Pittsburg, Found Dead with a Bullet in Her Neck—Robber the Cause.

Pittsburg, Dec. 17.—Harriet Murphy, a prominent young society woman was murdered in her room by a burglar early this morning by being shot through the neck. The disordered condition of the room showed that a terrible struggle had taken place, Miss Murphy was treasurer of the Charity fund and kept the collections in her room. The money was missing.

GO TO RESCUE HELEN STONE

American Warships Leave Port of Villefranche in a Hurry.

MOVE VERY SECRET

Cruiser Chicago and Gunboat Nashville Sail Presumably for Bulgarian Ports.

APPROACHES A CRISIS

Chicago, Dec. 17.—The American prints the following special dispatch: Paris, Dec. 17.—Two American ships—the cruiser Chicago and the gunboat Nashville—have sailed suddenly under secret orders from the port of Villefranche.

It is believed they sailed toward Turkey to aid in a move to force the surrender of Miss Stone, the American missionary held captive by Bulgarian bandits.

Villefranche is on the Mediterranean two miles east of Nice. It is the headquarters of the American Mediterranean fleet. The Chicago is the flagship of the fleet, under the command of Admiral Crowswell.

The unexpected manner in which orders came to sail, the secrecy maintained as to the fleet's destination, the convenience of the station for a sudden dash on Turkey and the improbability of the United States having trouble with any other Mediterranean power all have combined to make diplomats here confident that the sudden move means determined action in the effort to rescue Miss Stone.

Admiral Crowswell recently received leave of absence to return to the United States to attend his daughter's wedding. But with the new activity it is believed this leave has now been canceled.

Washington, Dec. 17.—A dispatch has been received at the state department regarding Miss Stone. Its text is not made public, but it is understood that its general tenor is to the effect that the brigands have become convinced that no more than \$50,000 is to be obtained from the Americans as a ransom. They therefore evince a disposition to accept this sum and it is probable that the department will soon receive news of a favorable nature.

FRANK M'NALLAS IS GIVEN 8 MONTHS

Beloit Man Arrested for Stealing Clothes on Dec. 13, Sent to State Prison.

Frank McNallas, of Beloit, who was arrested on December 13th, by Marshall Appleby of Beloit for stealing an overcoat valued at \$15, a suit of clothes valued at \$18 and a pair of patent leather shoes valued at \$6 from Ollie Peterson, was brought before Judge Field of the municipal court this morning on a petition signed by him that he was ready to plead guilty. McNallas could give no motive for the crime other than that he was intoxicated when he committed it. He said this was the first time he had ever been in trouble with the police.

On his plea of guilty Judge Field sentenced him to a term of eight months in the state prison at Waupun. McNallas stole the property on the 13th and was arrested by Marshall Appleby on the 14th. He waived examination before Justice Booth of Beloit yesterday and this morning made a petition for an immediate trial. He was taken to Waupun this noon by Sheriff Maltress.

WILL NOT REDUCE FORCES AT MANILA

War Department Endorses the Views of General Chaffee That Another Uprising is Probable.

Washington, Dec. 17.—Among the officials of the war department no surprise is evidenced at the reports from Manila that General Chaffee fears a general uprising of the natives and has apprised the war department of this possible contingency. As a result of Chaffee's reports and information obtained from returned army officers Secretary Long has decided not to reduce the forces now under Chaffee's command.

Plan a New Railroad.

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 17.—Articles of incorporation are being prepared and will be filed in a few days for the incorporation of a railroad from Omaha to Emporia, Kan. The line will form a part of the Missouri, Kansas and Texas system, but that part running through Nebraska will be incorporated under a different organization. A representative of the "Katy" has been in Omaha for some time organizing the road, and ten per cent of the stock is to be held by Omaha capitalists, who will own the new company.

M. A. Patchin of Clinton called on Janesville friends yesterday.

APPEAL FOR PEACE IN SOUTH AFRICA

Rosebery, the Former Premier, Favors Negotiating with the Boers for That Purpose.

London, December 17.—Lord Rosebery is for peace in South Africa, and to that end would enter into negotiations with the Boer leaders.

This is the central feature of the long-expected address of the former premier, delivered last night at Chesham before an immense and wildly enthusiastic assemblage, in which were represented the liberals of the entire kingdom.

His declaration while couched in conservative terms carefully phrased to none the less positive. History is cited in support of his contention that the time has fully arrived for peace with honor, and the manner in which his words were received seemed to prove their popularity with the great majority of his hearers.

SPOONER IS SICK WITH SORE THROAT

Senator Discovered a Lump in His Throat About the Size of a Hickory Nut.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 17.—Senator Spooner has suddenly developed an affection of the throat, and while his physician assures him that it is not serious, it is extremely troublesome. In speaking of the trouble Senator Spooner said today: "I have just come from the torture chamber and a throat specialist has been burning my vocal chords. Last night I suddenly discovered a lump in my throat about the size of a hickory nut, and I was afraid I would strangle to death before I could reach a physician. He assured me that it was not serious but I do not agree with him if I can judge by the pain. I have been particularly unfortunate with my throat. Some years ago I argued a case before a jury for four hours with a fish bone in my throat. Every word I uttered cut like a knife. But I won my case. I have no doubt the jury was inclined to believe my argument was a little fishy, but it was evidently better than the one made by the other fellow."

IS LITTLE HOPE FOR MRS. M'KINLEY

Nephew Says Her Condition is Unchanged—There Has Been No Improvement in Her Health.

Chicago, Ill., December 17.—Relatives of Mrs. McKinley have little hope of her living long, according to a statement made by Lieutenant Jas. McKinley, U. S. A., a nephew of the late president.

Lieutenant McKinley passed through Chicago last night in company with General S. B. M. Young, the successor of General Shafter in command of the Presidio, the military headquarters on the Pacific coast. Continuing the lieutenant said: "My aunt in Canton remains in about the same condition that she was immediately after the funeral of the president. There has been no improvement and there seems no hope of any."

IMPORT POTATOES FROM OLD COUNTRY

New York Finds That Tubers From Europe Are Cheaper Than the Product at Home.

New York, December 17.—For the last few weeks probably four-fifths of the potatoes reaching New York city for consumption have come from Europe. That America should be a buyer of trans-Atlantic potatoes seems pretty strange to the private consumer, and even those on the inside of the potato market admit that it is rather odd. Not for eight years had this country bought potatoes abroad in any great quantities. But the steamer Southwark arrived last Saturday from Antwerp with 90,000 bushels and the Vaderland is expected tomorrow or next day with 60,000 bushels, and a big freighter from Glasgow in a day or two with 30,000 bushels.

This has been going on for about three weeks. The potatoes come from Scotland, Ireland and Belgium. The potato crop in these countries has been particularly good, and the crop here the worst this country has had for many years. Many of the farmers in the last three weeks refused to sell their potatoes for love or money, and those that would sell have been demanding as much as \$3 per barrel. That brought the price here to private consumers up to \$4 and \$5 at a time when potatoes were usually cheap.

COPPER REACHES LOW-WATER MARK

New York, December 17.—A weak copper market in London together with the reported failure of a big firm in the copper trade in England is responsible for the new low mark in Amalgamated soon after the opening this morning. The price rapidly broke to 17.

Two Killed at Railroad Crossing.
Logansport, Ind., Dec. 17.—At the Vandalla crossing Frank Hardy and his daughter were caught in a buggy and killed. Hardy, who was a farmer, was bringing the girl to school.

FIX LADYSMITH AS COUNTY SEAT

Supreme Court Declares Establishment of Gates County Legal.

BITTER WAR OVER

Improvements Contemplated for New Northern Wisconsin City to Now Go On.

FEW OTHER DECISIONS

Madison, Wis., Dec. 17.—(Special)—The application of Hill and others for an injunction order to stay proceedings in the Gates county seat matter was denied by the supreme court today. This settles the establishment of the county seat at Ladysmith. The county board appropriated \$25,000 for the erection of county buildings there when the contestants who are trying to have it removed to Bruce, sought an injunction from Judge Vinje to stop the erection of the buildings. When he dissolved this injunction the contestants applied to the supreme court for a stay of proceedings pending an appeal, but this was refused today.

New Trial for MacAllister.
The supreme court today granted a new trial to H. W. McAllister, serving a term in prison for assault with intent to commit rape, at Superior. The new trial was granted on account of erroneous instructions by the court to the jury as to what constitutes a reasonable doubt.

Wm. Fetkenhauer, who was convicted of stealing a bushel and a half of wheat from Mrs. P. D. Armour's farm at Waukesha, is also given a new trial on errors in the instructions to the jury.

Arguments were heard in the supreme court today in the case of Geo. Linden, sent up from Fond du Lac for burglary, and who was transferred from the state reformatory to prison by the board of control. Linden's attorneys contend that this is unconstitutional in that it constitutes the exercise of a judicial function by the board.

DIRT AS A PANACEA FOR ANY SICKNESS

Small Dose of Sand and Earth Taken Daily by Members of a St. Louis Society.

St. Louis, Mo., December 17.—The newest and strangest of St. Louis sects are the "dirt eaters," a community of seventy-five men and women, whose leader is William Winslow. The dirt eaters take every day a spoonful of dirt.

Their leader believes that grit is necessary to every animal, and that, because mankind will not have dirt in his food, he is subject to many stomach troubles that no other animal has. So the dirt eater goes every day to his "little sack of soil." He plunges a teaspoon in and brings it forth heaped with good old earth. He washes it down with a glass of water.

The dirt eater is particular what sort of dirt he eats. This article of his singular diet is technically sand. It comes from the river bottoms, and is made up of many little particles of granite, marble, quartz and flint well rounded with age.

The chief dirt eater has the sand collected and sterilized, and he distributes it among his followers at 25 cents a sack. The sack is small but it holds a good deal of sand. The chief dirt eater looks nappy and prosperous. The lesser dirt eaters have every day a keen hunger for their dirt and they bring in their findings.

The dirt eaters have pretentious quarters. Here Mr. Winslow receives visitors during the day and every night lectures to his class. He has now seventy-five men and women who eat the dirt.

SENATOR PLATT GIVES DUE NOTICE

Resents Alleged Slander on Him by a Kansas Editor—Sees the President.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 17.—Senator Platt of New York called on the president this morning in quest of the scalp of William Allan White, who is one of the president's warmest personal friends. White, who is a Kansas editor, recently printed a character sketch of Platt, in which he said Platt never was animated by a kindly or patriotic motive. Platt told the president if he continued to regard White as a friend he would lose the regard of the New York senator.

STEAMER KLEBER WRECKED AT SEA

All Attempts to Save Passengers and Crew Fail—Feared All Will Be Lost.

Marseilles, Dec. 17.—The Campagna Trans-Atlantic Steamer Kleber, was wrecked at the mouth of the Rhone today. The attempts of the life boats to rescue the passengers and crew were unsuccessful, as the sea is running high. It is feared that all will be lost.

WARNING IS SENT TO SANTA CLAUS

MUST PUT ENOUGH STAMPS ON
GIFTS HE MAELS.

Bundles and Packages to Go Through the Mail Should Be Securely Wrapped—Neglect in This Means Loss—Janesville Office Christmas Rush Is On.

Uncle Sam, as messenger from Santa Claus to the people of America and the world, sounds a warning to those sending Christmas gifts by mail. Reduced to simple English it is this:

"Don't forget to write the address plainly and properly; be sure the articles are wrapped securely in heavy paper and tied with strong cord; don't fail to affix sufficient postage; mail early in the day; don't leave valuable packages on top of mail boxes, as many of them never reach the post-office; before depositing your gifts in boxes or the main office take a last look at them to see if all these things have been done."

What Neglect Means
Neglect any one of the essentials named above and you may expect to hear of belated Christmas presents or of their disappearance into the dead letter department to be resurrected only after Santa Claus shall have gone off to the woods for another year.

The insufficient postage caution is important, because this class of mail will not be forwarded unless fully prepaid. If wrapped in flimsy paper, if not properly addressed, it will be liable to delay, and if the sender cannot be located, the package will be consigned to the dead letter office.

Christmas Rush On

The Christmas rush in the Janesville postoffice is just beginning. An extra carrier went on duty yesterday and two clerks will be added to the regular force within a few days. This year the government allows the Janesville postoffice one extra clerk and one extra carrier. The other assistant will be hired by Postmaster O. F. Nowlan on his own responsibility and paid out of his own personal salary. In previous years the government has not allowed the Janesville office any extra help and it has kept the regular force hustling to handle the heavy holiday mail. Packages are already starting on their Christmas mission and the postoffice department all over the United States is bending every energy to have these packages reach their destination some time during the day of December 25.

In the city department arrangements are being made for swift and efficient work before and on Christmas day when there will be one delivery. The regular carriers have their work so systematized that in spite of the fact that for several days preceding Christmas they lug around many extra pounds of mail, they make their trips in nearly the same time as usual. This is practically necessary as the law requires that the mail carriers shall only work eight hours a day. If any mail remains undelivered when the time limit is up, it must be returned to the office and a report to that effect must be made. An accurate record of the time when each mail carrier leaves the office is kept at the office so there can be no infringement of this law even if the carrier is personally willing to devote a little extra time to the service of the people. The addition of an extra carrier lightens the daily burden quite a little and the carriers anticipate no difficulty in making their routes even though their mail pouches are three times as heavy as usual. If people who mail gifts will do their duty in mailing early, Uncle Sam will do his best to see that the gifts are delivered promptly. Naturally, however, the mails are more or less congested if they pass through large city offices and the wise course is to mail early and to see that the package is done up properly and carries the right amount of postage. The only safe way is to have it weighed at the office.

Notable's Grandson Is Wounded.
Princeton, Ill., Dec. 17.—Owen Loyd Lovejoy, grandson of the famous abolition congressman Owen Lovejoy, was accidentally shot while hunting rabbits. A rifle ball entered the body one inch below the heart. He may die of his injuries.

Chronic Colds

CATARH and COUGH
CURED BY
Mull's Grape Tonic

The most agreeable and effective health restorer; made of grapes, fruits and herbs.

Overcomes La Grippe and its kindred ailments by destroying the disease germs. Has a soothing effect upon the throat and lungs, allays inflammation of the mucous membrane, assists nature in throwing off impurities caused by catarrhal conditions, and acts on the kidneys, liver and bowels.

**One Dose Benefits
One Bottle Convinces.**

All up-to-date druggists carry it or will procure it for—50c per bottle; as large as the ordinary \$1.00 size bottle. Also sent direct upon application by

THE LIGHTNING MEDICINE CO.,
Rock Island, Ill.

Mull's Lightning Pain Killer cures neuralgia, toothache, rheumatism and all pains. Rub it on or drink it—25c.

KOEKNER BROS.
Prescription Pharmacists.

IT IS IMPORTANT

To Know What You Are Taking When
Using Catarrh Remedies.

Catarrh is the short route to consumption, and the importance of early and judicious treatment of catarrh, whether located in the head, throat or bronchial tubes, cannot be too strongly emphasized.

The list of catarrh cures is as long as the moral law and the forms in which they are administered, numerous and confusing, from sprays, inhalers, washes, ointments and salves, to powders, liquids and tablets.

The tablet form is undoubtedly the most convenient and the most effective, but with nearly all advertised catarrh remedies it is almost entirely a matter of guess work as to what you are taking into your system, as the proprietors, while making all sorts of claims, as to what their medicines will do, always keep it a close secret as to what they are.

The success and popularity of the new catarrh cure, Stuart's Catarrh Tablets, is largely because it not only cures catarrh, but because catarrh sufferers who use these tablets know that they are taking into their systems. Stuart's Catarrh Tablets are composed of Red Gum, Blood Root, and similar valuable and antiseptic ingredients, and are pleasant to the taste and being dissolved in the mouth they take immediate effect upon the mucous lining of the throat, nasal passages and whole respiratory tract.

The cures that Stuart's Catarrh Tablets have accomplished in old, chronic cases of catarrh are little short of remarkable, and the advantage of knowing what you are putting into your stomach, is of paramount importance when it is remembered that the cocaine or morphine habit has been frequently contracted as the result of using secret catarrh remedies.

Stuart's Catarrh Tablets meet with cordial approval from physicians, because their antiseptic character renders them perfectly safe for the general public to use and their composition makes them a common sense cure for all forms of catarrhal troubles. All druggists sell them at 50 cts. for full sized packages.

If you would have an appetite like a bear and a relish for your meals like Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They correct disorders of the stomach and regulate the liver and bowels. Price, 25c. Samples free at Peoples' Drug Store and King's Pharmacy.

Kick On Street Lights.
Editor Gazette:—As the city of Janesville is taxed for the maintenance of street lights the people should have what they pay for, and the Lord said "Let there be light," and there was light, in some places. The arc light, corner of Main and Clark street, has been out of order for the last week, some nights not lighted up at all, and other nights lighting up and burning a little while and then going out. The tax payers don't like to pay for a light and have none. If we cannot have the light in order we will have to buy a lantern and hang it out, for the Good Book says "They that choose the darkness rather than the light, their deeds are evil," and we don't want to be classed with those people. Hoping that our light may not be hidden under a bushel, but that it may shine, we remain, yours truly,

TAX PAYER.

Physicians everywhere are disagreeing on the function of the vermiform appendix, the disease of which is appendicitis. Many contend it has no use, others the contrary. Records show that appendicitis is fatal in thousands of cases each year, and yet the whole trouble can be averted by taking Dr. Crane's Quaker Tonic Tablets regularly. Cost fifty cents.

Will Open Evenings
Commencing with Wednesday night, December 18, the city dry goods stores will be open evenings until Christmas.

Vitality, nerves like steel, clear eyes, active brain, strength, health and happiness comes to those who take Rocky Mountain Tea, made by Madison Medicine Co. 35c. Smith's Pharmacy.

Valuable Trotting Mare Dead.

Santa Rosa, Cal., Dec. 17.—Janice, one of the American trotting queens, is dead of pneumonia at Pierce Bros. Santa Rosa stock farm in this city. The mare, with her stable mate, Dolly Dillon, won over \$10,000 last season. At that time an offer of \$10,000 for her was refused.

Threaten Appeal to Russia.

Sofia, Dec. 17.—The Bulgarian government will appeal to Russia should Austria remonstrate in regard to the Miss Stone abduction become menacing. It is not believed, however, that Austria will go beyond diplomatic remonstrance.

Rolling Mills Increase Capital.

Muskegon, Mich., Dec. 17.—The American Rolling Mills Company has been reorganized and the capital increased from \$250,000 to \$1,000,000.

Fifteenth Infantry Goes to Manila.

San Francisco, Dec. 17.—The transport Hancock sailed for Manila with the Fifteenth United States Infantry.

Queen of Sweden Ill.

Paris, Dec. 17.—It is reported that Queen Sophia of Sweden is seriously ill.

Hansvelt and Choate Confer.

Washington, Dec. 17.—Ambassador Choate will return to his post at the Court of St. James Jan. 15. Mr. Choate had a long conference with President Roosevelt Saturday.

Train waited eight minutes at St. Joseph, Mich., while two passengers were united in marriage.

SENATE RATIFIES NEW HAY TREATY

Measure Insuring American
Control of Canal Across
Isthmus Approved.

THE VOTE STANDS 72 TO 6.

The New Treaty Guarantees the Neutrality of the Canal by the United States Only While This Country Is at Peace.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 17.—By a vote of 72 to 6—the half dozen in the negative being Democrats exclusively—the new Hay-Pauncefote treaty was ratified by the Senate, and as soon as the ratifications are exchanged between the two countries it will become the law of the land. The debate on the treaty lasted for four or five hours, but there was little doubt at any time as to the outcome. The only real discussion was over the different amendments. The new treaty guarantees the neutrality of the canal by the United States only while this country is at peace, but there is nothing in the treaty at all to bind this country during time of war. The old Davis amendment and others suggested were all voted down with less than a score of votes in their favor, and on the final vote half a dozen Democrats—Cullerton, Blackburn, Bacon, Tillman, Malloy and Teller—voted against the treaty. Bailey and Rawlins, were paired against it and several Senators were absent without pairs. Whatever the new treaty may lack in definiteness as to the power of this government under it is made up in the clear interpretation put upon it by the Senate in advance of ratification, without any protest from Great Britain. One of the great embarrassments of the Clay-Bulwer treaty was an interpretation put upon it by Great Britain after it had been ratified by the United States Senate. There is no possibility of such modification of the meaning of this treaty. Senator Morgan will at once call up his bill reported last Thursday authorizing the President to conclude agreements with the republics of Costa Rica and Nicaragua for the acquiring and full control of such territory as may be necessary for the canal, and to govern, regulate, police, and protect the same. He will seek to have this bill passed by the Senate this week.

Missouri Coal Strike Settled.
Jefferson City, Mo., dispatch: Governor Dockery has received word from Rich Hill that the strike of the coal miners there had been settled by the state board of arbitration.

A Safe Blown in Illinois.

Burglars entered the building and blew open the safe of the Fillmore, Ill., bank at night and escaped. The door was jammed back again. An expert has been sent for to open the safe. It is not known how much, if any, money was taken.

Five Birth to Five Children.

Texarkana, Texas, Dec. 17.—Mrs. William Walker, the wife of a cotton raiser living near here, gave birth today to five children. Four are girls and one is a boy.

Chicago Market Report.

Spring wheat—No. 3, 75c; No. 2 Northern, 76c. Corn—No. 4, 64c; No. 3, 64c; No. 2 yellow, 65c; No. 3 white, 65c; ears, 67c; 68c. Oats—No. 3 white, 49c.

Will Reappoint Prince George.

London, Dec. 17.—The Times says the powers have decided to appoint Prince George of Greece high commissioner in Crete for another term of three years.

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NEWS OF THE CITY IN BRIEF.

Charles C. Russell of Milwaukee is in the city to attend the Winans party this evening.

Mr. English of Auburn, N. Y., has been added to the force of the Marzluft factory.

Charles Carpenter has been promoted from brakeman to conductor on the Northwestern.

The Boys' choir of the Congregational church will meet for practice this evening at 6:45 o'clock.

Regular meeting of Rock River Hive, No. 71, L. O. T. M., this evening at East Side Odd Fellows hall at 7:30 sharp.

The attendants and patients at the county farm enjoyed a dance last evening from 8 until 11. Smith's orchestra furnished the music.

The stories circulated about the city late yesterday afternoon that William Cody had been found provided to be without foundation.

Dr. F. J. Perry, of Fort Atkinson, who is seriously ill at St. Joseph's hospital in Milwaukee, was reported somewhat improved yesterday.

Mrs. Wheeler S. Bowen and son of Yankton, S. D., are spending the holidays with Mrs. Bowen's brother, Geo. J. Davis on South Main St.

Charles W. Blay and George A. LaFayette will represent the Janesville bricklayers and masons union at the International convention at Pittsburgh on the second Monday in January.

Mrs. C. C. Searles left last evening for Albany, Wis., to attend the fifth wedding anniversary of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Smith.

The program for the Musical-Literary society will be begun promptly at 7:45 this evening on account of a number of the members wanting to get away.

Mrs. Theodore Gray and son of Manitowish, Wis., returned to their home Sunday morning after a pleasant visit with Mrs. Gray's mother, Mrs. Thos. Graham.

The remains of Mrs. William Jones of Jackson, Tenn., were taken through Janesville to Edgerton last night for burial. Mrs. Jones was formerly Miss Mary Johnson of Indian Ford and was a daughter of Robert M. Johnson.

The Janesville Dental society held their annual meeting in the office of Charles E. Pierce last evening and chose the following officers: President, J. R. Whiffen; vice president, L. H. Holsapple; secretary, L. L. Leslie; treasurer, R. Powell.

The Kohlmoor Club met last evening with the Misses Agnes and Anna Cox at their home, 255 South Bluff street. The gathering was an exceedingly pleasant affair.

The evening was devoted to cards, the first prizes going to Misses Laura Roessling and Laura Kinnipschield. Mrs. John P. Joyce and Miss Anna Knipp carried off the consolation. Following the card games an elegant luncheon was served.

How to Cure Croup.
Mr. R. Gray, who lives near America, Duchesne county, N. Y., says: "Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is the best medicine I have ever used. It is a fine children's remedy for croup and never fails to cure." When given as soon as a child becomes hoarse, or even after the croup cough has developed it will prevent the attack. This should be borne in mind and a bottle of the Cough Remedy kept at hand ready for instant use as soon as the symptoms appear. For sale by Peoples' Drug Store and King's Pharmacy.

Hon. Phil Cheek, of Baraboo, is in the city on business.

Scrofula

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Black silk, 1, 1.25, 1.50, \$2, etc.

SAY THERE IS HARMONY.

Pan-American Delegates from Argentina Deny Intention to Withdraw.
Mexico City, Dec. 17.—At to-day's session of the Pan-American Conference Hayti delegate submitted a resolution providing that under the Monroe doctrine of 1823, supplemented by the Diaz doctrine of 1901, the nations of America represented at the International American Conference bind themselves to respect one another's territorial integrity. The Argentine delegates here deny any intention to withdraw from the Pan-American Conference this week, causing its dissolution. The conference, it is expected, will last another fortnight, but in any event will not be prolonged beyond Jan. 15.

Bad Wreck Near La Crosse.

La Crosse, Wis., Dec. 17.—Passenger train No. 2 on the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul railroad last night collided with a freight train just outside of this city, wrecking the engine, baggage and mail cars of the passenger and two cars of machinery of the freight train. Three passengers were injured, as follows: S. Clark, La Crosse; bruised about the head and left side. Henry Turner, Saginaw, Mich.; head bruised. G. R. Odean, Minneapolis, Minn.; internal injuries; serious.

Board Expels 1,000 Pupils.

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 17.—Because of their refusal to be vaccinated 1,000 children were expelled from the public schools of Belleville, Ill., in the morning. Their expulsion, however, was canceled later in the day by the board of health rescinding the order. A month ago all school children in the town were ordered to be vaccinated by December 15, and when it was discovered that 2,500 pupils had paid no heed to the command the action noted above followed.

Torture an Aged Couple.

Elgin, Ill., Dec. 17.—Two masked robbers bound and tortured William Sumpter and his wife, an aged couple, in their home near this city at night. They applied hot irons to their feet until they revealed the hiding place of \$700, the savings of a lifetime. Sumpter managed to free himself toward morning and made his way to a neighbor. The police were notified, but they have no trace thus far of the thieves.

Decision Against McCain Law.

Louisville, Ky., Dec. 17.—By a decision handed down to-day by Judge Field of the Common Pleas division the McCain law, regulating the sale of tobacco by warehouses, is held to be unconstitutional. Judge Field held that the exactions under the law against the warehouses in favor of the growers are unreasonable and that under the law the warehouses cannot make a "living profit."

New Cut in Crude Oil.

Lima, O., Dec. 17.—Crude oil was reduced again, making 9 cents off Lima and 15 cents off eastern oil since Friday. The operators are shutting down the drill and already a dullness is noticeable throughout the territory. The market is now: North Lima, 85 cents; South Lima, 80 cents; Indiana, 80 cents; Liana, \$1.20; Pennsylvania, \$1.00 and Barnesville, \$1.15; New Castle, 92 cents; Somerset, 63 cents.

Mills Wrecked by Torrent.

Utica, N. Y., Dec. 17.—The damage from the flood in the valley of the West Canada creek will reach \$500,000. From 75,000 to 100,000 logs were washed away from Noblesboro, Hinctley and Trenton Falls. Four expensive railroad bridges were destroyed. One mill was taken downstream like a paper box, and two others are badly wrecked.

Clue to a Strange Murder.

Rochester, N. Y., Dec. 17.—A complete suit of woman's clothing covered with blood has been found near a deserted well near Pittsford. The spot is hidden by bushes, a short distance from the highway on the bank of a creek. There is much to indicate that a murder has been committed and the body disposed of mysteriously. The authorities are investigating.

Editor to Be Postmaster.

Philadelphia, Pa., Dec. 17.—Clayton McMichael, one of the best known men in Philadelphia and formerly editor and proprietor of the Philadelphia North American, has been appointed postmaster for this city. Mr. McMichael will take up the duties of the post at the close of his service as city treasurer, which office will expire in January.

Irish Counties Under Crimes Act.

Dublin, Dec. 17.—Large numbers of constabulary have been drafted to important points in Mayo and Roscommon, and a proclamation placing both counties under the crimes act is expected to be issued immediately. This influx of extra police is unprecedented since the days of Captain Boycott.

Postoffice Thieves Use Dynamite.

Pittsburg, Pa., Dec. 17.—Thieves entered the post office at Wilmerding, a suburb of Pittsburg, early this morning and, blowing open the safe with dynamite, stole several hundred dollars in cash and took all the stamps except those for postage due, valued at from \$1,500 to \$2,000.

Editor Frozen to Death.

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 17.—Joseph J. Novak, living at Ingleside station, in St. Louis county, editor of the Bohemian Illas (Voice) is a victim of the present cold snap. His frozen body was found in a vacant lot near the Wash tracks in Baden.

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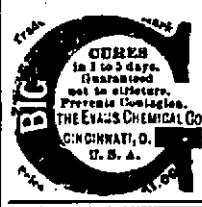
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THE SCHLEY INQUIRY.

The findings of the court of inquiry investigating the conduct of Rear Admiral Schley is a surprise to almost every one. The division of the court will leave the matter practically where it was when the investigation was instituted. The friends of the rear admiral are more active than ever on his behalf, while his opponents are saying: "I told you so." We are in a position similar to that of France during the Dreyfus affair, with the public arrayed unalterably on one side or the other. Undoubtedly the court has had access to the facts in the matter, and a new investigation could not develop anything new in this line, and it certainly could not influence public opinion which is with the admiral by a large majority.

There are a few facts to be remembered by those who have not made up their minds unalterably as to the merits of the case. Benham and Ramsey were appointed on the court by the navy department, of which Secretary Long is the head. Admiral Dewey was the appointee of President McKinley. Benham and Ramsey were a unit on all of the counts, both arrived at the same conclusions on all questions put to them concerning the conduct of Schley. Secretary Long was on trial before the board as well as Schley, as it was he who started public discussion on the subject by a letter to the senate naval committee, in which he characterizes the conduct of Schley as "reprehensible."

The admiral of the navy, who is the most loved and respected man in the service, and whose valor has given him the right to pass judgment on any of his fellow officers, has the opportunity of declaring without reservation his opinion concerning the real question of the controversy. We quote the admiral's words: "Commander Schley was the senior officer of our squadron off Santiago on the morning of July 3, 1898. He was in absolute command and is entitled to the credit due to such commanding officer for the glorious victory which resulted in the total destruction of the Spanish ships."

We believe this decision of our most eminent authority on naval conduct will be that of the majority of Americans who are interested at all in the affair.

The opinion of the court is divided into three parts: That of the court as a whole, the dissenting opinion of Admiral Dewey, and the recommendation that no further action be taken in the matter.

The court unanimously voted that Schley should not have made the retrograde movement from Santiago.

That he should have obeyed the navy department order of May 25.

That he did injustice to Commander Hodgson in publishing only a portion of the correspondence between them.

That his reports of the coal supply of the flying squadron were misleading.

So far as the above questions are concerned the friends of the admiral may well accept the unanimous verdict of the court as just but these are minor questions, questions about which neither the public nor the admiral himself are most concerned: questions which do not in the least affect his valor or bravery as an officer.

Every other finding of the court is denied by Admiral Dewey, and these are the points on which the American people have a right to expect an unanimous opinion.

The most unfortunate result of the decision of the court is its lack of unanimity, and to say the judges were influenced by prejudice before stating that which cannot be proved, and which if true would in no way settle the controversy.

The entire affair is unfortunate for all concerned, most of all, deleterious to the good of the navy, and a prolonging of the investigation would only make a bad matter worse.

The question remains in status quo; there let it remain.

Sampson smiles at the verdict, and proceeds to spend the prize money.


CHRISTMAS GIVING.

We find philosophy in the biblical doctrine, "Is it more blessed to give than to receive?" for no matter how much we enjoy the gifts that come to us, there is more genuine pleasure in giving to others in the right spirit.

This pleasure is doubled when our gift to another represents a part of ourselves, when it is characteristic and is useful. In this age it has become the habit to buy something that looks well as an ornament, or that represents a considerable outlay of money, rather than some article which shall fit into a use, the pleasure of which has never been known before. How much more we prize a piece of the handiwork of a friend than some purchased trinket. How much more pleasure we get out of some article of every-day use when it reminds us of the giver by some characteristic property.

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Some of our friends, the democrats, comment on President Roosevelt's failure to express himself on the South African war. Such reference would be an offense against good taste and prejudicial to our interests.

The executive committee of the university, having received a protest against hash, from the students, proceeded to consider the subject under the head of miscellaneous business.

Tillman and McLaurin are pulling each other's wool and washing each other's linen.

The American Federation of Labor is after the school teacher now, asking her to join them, and then protesting against some of the subjects she teaches.

VERDICT OF COURT OF INQUIRY.

Regardless of the decision of two of the members of the trial board on the case of Admiral Schley, the verdict of the American people is that of Admiral Dewey's dissenting opinion. After all, it was the people whom the much persecuted officer wished to set right in the matter and that has been thoroughly accomplished. The naval clique may think and judge what it will, the public has been and is now, with Schley—Galesburg Mail.

Unfortunately for Schley Admiral Dewey was not in full command at the inquiry, else the gallant fellow would not have been riddled by the broadside of an enemy—Madison Democrat.

While the court of inquiry has ruled against Rear Admiral Schley, the public will be disposed to forget the general finding and to remember Admiral Dewey's indorsement. The hero of Manila may be considered competent to pick out the hero of Santiago.—Chicago Post.

The attitude of the country toward the finding of the court of inquiry is not hard to foresee. There can be no question that the public sentiment is strongly in favor of Admiral Schley and even if the entire court had convicted him of the charges made against him there would have been little change in the opinion of the people. As it is, however, the fact that his conduct is upheld and approved by Admiral Dewey will be taken as furnishing a full degree of vindication and credit. The majority report, which finds Schley guilty of all the charges with the exceptions of cowardice, will be utterly ignored as furnishing merely another manifestation of the personal spite and jealousy shown on many previous occasions toward the admiral. In other words, it will be accredited to the influence of the navy department ring which has been persistent in its petty detractions and machinations against the admiral. As a matter of fact, it looks as though the enemies of the admiral were bound to convict him, evidence or no evidence, and then drop the matter in hopes that he will do the same.—Oshkosh Northwestern.

Miss Jessie Brown left today for California to spend the winter with her brother.

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It may help you to decide what to give. We haven't the space to quote prices; but you have long ago learned that they are always right. We can suit your purse and taste.

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| Trains, Hook & ladder wags, Fire Engines, Hose Carts, Police Patrols, Horse and Wagons, Cabs, Chime Toys, Stoves, Saving Banks, Express Wagons, Mechanical Toys, Dancing Clowns, Automobile, Auto Exp. Wagon, Boats, Street Cars, Musical Clowns. | Sleds, Ten Pins, Building Blocks, Go-Carts, Doll Buggies, Express Wagons, Dump Carts, Toy Dressers, Chiffonieres, Side Boards, China Closets, Pianos, Blackboards, Doll Houses, Grocery Stores, Child's Chair, Tables, Toy carpet sweepers, Games, all kinds, Including Crokinole, Caromette, Owl Game Board, Lotto, Chess, Old Maid, Fish Pond, Peter Coddle, Authors, &c, &c. | Toilet Sets, Manicure Sets, Work Boxes, Smoking Sets, Handkerchief Boxes, Glove & Tie Cases, Ink Wells, Trinket Trays, Photo Albums, Photo Boxes, Vases, Smoking Sets, Ink Wells, Handkerchiefs, Neckties, Hair Bows, Fancy Supporters, Purses, Card Cases, Mufflers, Gloves, Mittens, Barettas, Stationery, Perfume, Lockets, Bracelets. |
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DRY GOODS, CLOAKS, MILLINERY

Eiderdown Dressing Sacques

Daintily executed affairs for around the house wear. Nothing could be more acceptable to your lady friend than one of these garments.

At 89 Cents
Material all wool eiderdown, crochet finish, with ribbon ties at the neck; colors red, grey, pink, blue, lavender, cadet and old rose;—same cloth in cotton style at same price; sizes 32 to 44.

At \$1.15
Material all wool ripple eiderdown, crochet stitching; colors, red, grey.

At \$1.65
Material of plain all wool eiderdown; crochet finish, collar satin bound, fastened with silk frogs and ribbon; colors, pink, blue, lavender and plain grey.

At \$2.25
Material all wool ripple eiderdown, finished all around with pleated ribbon, silk frog and ribbon ties. Eton style; colors, pink, blue, red, old rose and lavender.

At \$2.75
Material of all wool ripple eiderdown, trimmed body, neck and sleeves with shirred ribbon, matching the garment in color, fastened with two handsome silk ribbons, also ribbon ties; colors, pink, blue, lavender and old rose. Other Sacques more elaborately trimmed up to \$4.00.

White Aprons

Always useful and for inexpensive gifts nothing more pleasing. At 25c. we show a line of plain and fancy tucked that are surprising values, and at 50c there are many that are nicely finished with tucks and embroidery; others up to \$3, all new neat styles.

Fancy Hosiery

Never a time that hosiery is not needed and what better could you do than to select two, four or six pair. For ladies, also for gentlemen, we have lately received some striking patterns in the new lines, and at 25 and 50c per pair we show some excellent styles.

Golf and Kid Gloves

A pair of one or of both would do and for sending to distant friends. Gloves are about as handy a gift as can be sent. Golf Gloves—plaid red, black, grey and white; two qualities,—25c and 50c. In Kid Gloves we recommend "The Lucile"—3 patent clasps, colors, white, black, brown, red, tan, mode, grey; price \$1.00. We furnish Christmas Folders with all kid gloves. After Christmas we exchange gloves where sizes are not correct.

CLOAKS

And Furs—Many a woman could be made happy on Xmas morning with a coat or something from the fur stock. Special low figures this holiday week.

THE VALUE OF A TELEPHONE...

is in the number of people it reaches with whom you wish to talk. The Rock Co. Telephone Co. has 800 subscribers in Janesville—twice as many as any other company—and connects with nearly 500 telephones in Beloit. And the number of independent, or New 'phones with which it connects in this and neighboring counties, greatly exceeds that of other telephones.

A few illustrations:

Independent Bell 'Phones.	Phones.
Monroe, 355	28
Broadhead, 185	3
Evansville, 182	3
Clinton, 192	10
Sharon, 193	1
Darien, 67	1
Delavan, 177	14
Elkhorn, 125	40
Edgerton, 182	6
St. Atkinson, 181	19
Madison, 1366	375
Milton & Mt. Junct., 98	1
Total	5181
	499

Observe that in the four places named in Rock County there are 654 Independent 'phones, and but 39 others.

Our lines reach FIFTEEN VILLAGES in Rock County not reached by any other company, and about 100 farmers who use only Independent 'phones. And we connect besides with practically every place in the county where there is a telephone of any kind.

We furnish the finest kind of long-distance instrument to each subscriber, with a full metallic circuit of two wires, without extra charge. And we aim to have the best service that constant watchfulness and skill can give.

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T. WRIGHT.

Your special committee emphasized that the cost of the increased toll tax

The mill tax Rock County paid into the state treasury about \$7,000.00 more than it received back by the appropriation of the state superintendent. The county clerk has been asked to report by virtue of the mill tax, will pay over \$25,000.00 more than it will receive back.

The state commission in their report on the mill tax and the tax collector, Judge Gibson dissenting from the majority report in reference to the mill tax. Judge Gibson believed that it never was the intention of the mill tax and desired to fix the state equalization so said mill tax would not be largely increased.

The other two commissioners, however, interpreted the law by strict construction and as a result Rock County will pay \$40,000.00 mill tax instead of \$20,000.00, or heretofore.

Signed, J. L. BEAR, Chairman,
P. E. LIVERMORE,
L. E. GETTLE.

Adopted.

Sup. Andrews, from special committee on bridge in the Town of Rock, presented the following report and moved its adoption.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Rock County:

Gentlemen: Your special committee appointed at the May session of this board to cooperate with the supervisors of the town of Rock, have had the honor to advise: That having adopted plans and notified the leading bridge companies of the time and place of meeting and awarding the contract on the 24th day of April, 1902, in the Village of Afton, and received bids for building an iron bridge across Bass Creek in the Town of Rock. Bids were received from five companies, viz.: The Afton Bridge Co., of Melrose, Wis., being the lowest, was accepted and a contract entered into with said company for the sum of \$143,550.00.

Also to J. H. Humphrey, contractor, of Milwaukee, for the superstructure, \$40.00, making the total cost \$2,075.00. Of this amount the county is to pay one-half or one thousand seven dollars and fifty cents (\$1,750.00) and the balance of \$300.00 to be collected for this purpose is in the hands of the county treasurer, to wit: Nine hundred eighty-seven dollars and fifty cents (\$987.50) to the Commercial Building of Milwaukee, and twenty dollar (\$20.00) to J. H. Humphrey.

W. B. ANDREWS,
P. P. SMILEY.

Adopted.

Ayes, 17; nays, 0.

Sup. Weirick, from special committee on filing papers in the county clerk's office, presented the following report and moved that the report be placed on file.

To the Rock County Board of Supervisors:

Your special committee appointed to examine the county clerk with reference to filing and indexing the records of the county clerk's office have to report that the county clerk has proposed to ascertain the value of the whole number of affidavits and twenty dollar (\$20.00) to J. H. WEIRICK,
S. S. JONES,
L. E. GETTLE.

Adopted and filed.

Sup. Bowles moved that the renting of the old hall be left to the discretion of the building committee.

Carrick.

Sup. Conway, from Committee No. 8, presented the following report and moved its adoption:

"To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Rock County:

Your Committee No. 8 hereby submits the following names of persons selected as grand jurors for the ensuing year, viz: Wilson—John Hunter, S. M. Johnson, George W. Jones, H. C. Johnson, Bradford—W. J. Jones, P. H. Kemp, Carter—L. H. Fellows, W. H. Adcox, Clinton—E. J. Barker, Iver Jacobson, Harmon—Elmer Brigham, Robert Clark, Jamesville—F. Welch, P. F. Metcfe, Johnstone—H. Cary, G. H. McFar, La Prairie—Nicholas Schenck, John Little.

Lima—W. G. Alexander, Fred Gould, Magnolia—Will Chase, Frank Harvey, Milton—J. C. Goodrich, W. Winch, Stoughton—Edw. Jones, Geo. Johnson, Plymouth—Geo. Smiley, E. L. Beebe Porter—Robert Earle, Gary Barnard, Rock—Frank H. Olds, Arthur S. Walte, Spring Valley—John Beck, James Spencer.

Turtle—Henry Case, H. E. Gates, Union—George Higley, A. A. Brink, Clinton Village—S. G. Lake, G. A. Snyder.

Oxfordville—S. O. Onsgard, H. N. Hegard.

Beloit—1st Ward—J. W. Bates, John Martin; 2nd Ward—J. E. Hanson, A. Horvath; 3rd Ward—F. E. Martin, Geo. Gillman; 4th Ward—Harvey Hall, C. A. Still; 5th Ward—R. H. Rudway, J. F. Chamberlain.

Belmont—1st Ward—Joel Thompson, Robert Attlesoy; 2nd Ward—Win. McIntosh, Scott Hatch; 3rd Ward—John Dawe, John Willie.

Evansville—1st Ward—Charles Clifford, Albert White; 2nd Ward—Arford James, John Gilless; 3rd Ward—Sam. Barnard, Peter Smith.

Jamesville—1st Ward—J. S. Finley, W. E. Peterson; 2nd Ward—T. S. Field, Richard Fletcher; 3rd Ward—Geo. Stephens, Ed. Bailey; 4th Ward—Thomas Nolan, J. E. Connor; 5th Ward—Martin Delaney, John Elmer.

Meeting of the Board, December 18, 1901.

Respectfully submitted,

M. E. CONWAY,
H. M. PAULI,
B. CAMPBELL.

Adopted.

Sup. Weirick presented the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Resolved: By the County Board of Supervisors of Rock County, be and hereby is instructed to classify, assort, file, and in necessary cases index and copy all of the old records in the county clerk's office that are of value to the county, and he shall receive therefor three cents per paper for all such work and the same shall be in full for such services performed, the said work to be paid for by any moneys not otherwise appropriated.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Andrews, Bowles, Campbell, Doney, Elder, Cassin, E. Hanson, Rodgers, Smith, Thompson, Humphrey, Conaway, L. H. Jones, Keeler, Livermore, McEvoy, Nelson, Paul, J. A. Paul, H. Powers, Patterson, Quimby, Ransom, Throckmorton, Swann, Smith, Stonehammer, Thoen, Treawday, Weirick, Hopkins, White, Zambor—30.

Nays—Campbell, H.—1.

Supervisor White presented the following resolution by the County Board of Supervisors of Rock County, That the treasurer be and is hereby authorized to borrow such sums of money as he may need for the purpose of paying the taxes on the county not to exceed ten thousand dollars (\$10,000.00) for ninety days, or until such time as the taxes are paid into the county treasurer.

Supervisor Livermore presented the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Resolved: By the County Board of Supervisors of Rock County: That when this board adjourns it be to the third Wednesday in January, 1902, to reconvene.

Adopted.

Ayes, 34; nays, 0.

Supervisor White presented the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Resolved: By the County Board of Supervisors of Rock County, That the county clerk be and is hereby authorized to draw orders on all sums allowed at this meeting of the board and to be paid provide for, and the chairman is hereby authorized to countermand the same.

Adopted.

Sup. Andrews presented the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Resolved: That the sum of ten dollars

hereto appropriated to the chairman of this board for countersigning orders.

Adopted.

Ayes, 34; nays, 0.

Sup. Livermore presented the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Resolved: That the register of deeds be requested to make an itemized annual report in January of each year to this board of all moneys received for abstract work in which the county of Rock is an interested party.

Adopted.

Superior Eager moved that the permission and influence of members be allowed without reference and orders be drawn for same.

Days Miles Amt.

Andrew, W. B.	3	20	10 80
Bowles, C. H.	3	2	9 12
Conley, H. W.	1	28	4 08
Conway, M. E.	3	18	10 08
Campbell, B.	3	31	11 03
Campbell, B.	3	2	9 12
Edgett, H.	3	22	10 32
Eager, A.	3	31	11 01
Johnson, J. E.	3	12	9 24
McElroy, J. D.	3	30	10 80
Smith, W. H.	3	16	9 36
Stettin, L. B.	3	22	10 32
Thompson, J. B.	3	16	9 36
Campbell, L. H.	3	30	10 80
Johnson, S. S.	3	32	11 52
Kroder, C.	3	30	10 80
Livermore, F. F.	3	30	10 80
McElroy, J. C.	3	32	11 52
Nelson, H. C.	3	18	10 08
Paul, H.	3	2	9 12
Powers, A. C.	3	20	10 20
Paulson, M. L.	3	31	11 01
Quincy, W. W.	3	18	10 08
Hanson, E. H.	3	20	10 20
Rathburn, B.	3	2	9 12
Starr, J.	3	30	12 00
Swain, A.	3	30	10 80
Quincy, B. B.	3	30	10 80
Stettin, F. P.	3	30	10 80
Thompson, W. E.	3	8	9 48
Shen, A. B.	3	30	10 80
Wright, B. B.	3	30	10 80
Wright, C. C.	3	20	10 20
Hopkins, E. C.	1	32	4 32
White, A.	3	28	10 08
Zell, Wm.	2	30	10 80
Rear, J. S.	3	2	9 12

The Journal of today read and approved.


On motion of Sup. Keeler the board adjourned.

State of Wisconsin—Rock County—ss.

I, F. P. Starr, county clerk of said county, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of the proceedings of the County Board of Supervisors of said county, held in the office of the clerk thereof, in the city of Janesville, on the 12th, 13th and 14th days of November, 1901.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the county seal at Janesville, Wis., this 20th day of November, 1901.

[L. S.] F. P. STARR,
County Clerk.



OFFICE OF
THE ADMIRAL

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Feb. 18, 1901

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One fare plus \$2 round trip.
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—that's the just fallen—
that's the way clothes
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torn or worn thin, and
are delivered in time.
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People once thought that the only way to cure indigestion was to stop eating. The trouble with such treatment is, that to stop eating is to stop living. KODOL DYSPERPSIA CURE has changed the whole method of treating this complaint. It contains all the natural digestive fluids and digests all you eat without aid from the stomach, so you can eat all the good food you want and be cured of your trouble at the same time.

"I have been troubled with indigestion and dyspepsia for several years and often sat down to eat but had to give it up after eating only two bites. I used two bottles of KODOL DYSPERPSIA CURE and am alright to-day. Can now eat anything I want. W. L. Easton, Audubon, Iowa."

It can't help but do you good

Prepared by E. O. DeWitt & Co., Chicago. The \$1. bottle contains 2½ times the 50c. size.

When you suffer from biliousness or constipation, use the famous Little Live Pills known as **DeWitt's Little EARLY RISERS**. They never gripe.

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Made in all the new holiday shades. Golden rod, tobacco brown, Nile and Sage green, national blues and Persian warps.

Hosiery, suspenders, gloves and shirts and many other useful articles for gents comfort. Don't delay. Call and inspect our line before buying.

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A. K. WHEELER MADE SECRETARY

Janesville Boy in Milwaukee, is Part Owner of the Hygeia Manufacturing Company.

A. K. Wheeler, formerly of this city, has been elected secretary of the Hygeia Manufacturing company, of Milwaukee, a stock company incorporated within the past few days with a capital stock of \$15,000. The company will engage in the manufacture of mineral and medical preparations and its other officers are: Charles Hartfield, president; Henry Klein, vice president; C. E. Hartfield, treasurer.

Since completing his law course at the University of Wisconsin, Mr. Wheeler has practiced law in Milwaukee, his office being in the old insurance building. He has been singularly successful, especially for a young attorney, and his connection with the Hygeia Manufacturing Company will not interfere with his law business, at least for the present.

Mr. Wheeler has a host of friends in this city who will be pleased to learn of the success which he is winning in the professional and business world. He first attracted public attention as an amateur athlete and was quite well known throughout the state even before he entered the University of Wisconsin. His athletic achievements while attending the university and his successful career as graduate manager of the athletic association brought him into greater prominence and gave him a wide acquaintance with business men as well as valuable business experience. Well equipped intellectually, he is enterprising, ambitious and a conscientious worker and however large the measure of success which the future may have in store for him, his friends will deem it well deserved.

EDWARD P. SALSAMAN SHOT IN THE LEG

Belongs to Troop D, Fifteenth U. S. Cavalry, Now Serving in the Philippines.

Sergeant Edward P. Salsaman, of Troop D, Fifteenth cavalry, United States army now serving in the Philippines, and well known in this city where several of his boyhood years were spent, has been shot in the leg by the insurgents in such a manner that at the time when Sergeant Salsaman wrote to relatives in Milwaukee it was expected that his leg would have to be amputated. He was struck in the leg between the knee and the hip, the wound being as big as a baseball, but the doctors could not locate the bullet. His letter was written from the hospital at Langaran, Mindanao Island, Oct. 24, reached Milwaukee last Friday night and was the first intimation his family or friends had received of his injuries. As nothing has been heard by cable, the natural supposition is that he is recovering even though the amputation has taken place.

Ed. Salsaman is the youngest son of T. J. Salsaman, the commercial traveler who for many years made this city his home and who, since his removal to Milwaukee frequently makes his headquarters at the Hotel Myers. Young Salsaman, who is twenty-five years of age, enlisted a year ago in Milwaukee and had distinguished himself prior to his injuries, by his valiant and heroic conduct. One of his trips to the mountains had resulted in the capture of a chief and seven men and he had received much praise from his superior officers.

Brilliant Social Event
One of the brilliant social events of the season will take place at the home of Mrs. John Winans and their daughter, Miss Winans, will entertain their friends at a reception and dancing party. The invitations have been issued for eight o'clock and the hall has been tastefully decorated for the occasion. Smith's orchestra will furnish the music for the dancing and during the evening light refreshments will be served under the supervision of Miss Louise Bowerman as caterer.

Two or three other large dancing parties, given by prominent society people are on the program for the near future and the season between the holidays and Lent promises to surpass the ante-holiday season, gay as it has been in social circles.

HANDKERCHIEF DISPLAY
Anyone interested in the subject of handkerchiefs should visit our south store. We have displayed on tables a world of handkerchiefs, all out in plain sight, so that selecting is an easy matter. All marked in plain figures.
J. M. BOSTWICK & SONS.

Musical Literary Tonight
The regular meeting of the Musical-Literary society will be held at Christ church parish house this evening and the program which will be devoted to the study of the work of Romanticists, will begin promptly at 7:45 o'clock. Members are requested to bear this fact in mind and be on hand promptly at that time.

FINE LINENS
No time in our history could we show you more good things in table linens, napkins, doilies, hemstitched squares, towels, lunch cloths, etc. than we can today. Beautiful pattern cloths with napkins to match.
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FOR SALE—Sugar cane feed, \$8 per ton. Best cow and horse feed on earth, on Fatzinger place, River road. A. A. Munger.

A YOUNG man wants light, inside work of some sort. Terms very reasonable. Is not much acquainted. G. C. 114 N. Academy St.

WANTED—Good competent girl for general housework. Inquire at Lowell's hardware store, crockery department.

LOST—A black and white, between Linn & Cherry streets. Finder please return to Wm. Hemming & Son.

WANTED—Intelligent boy of some education to learn the drug business. Fair salary to a good boy. Address D. N. Carr, Gazette building.

FOR SALE—Upright piano, good condition. Will sell cheap. Apply No. 3 North First street.

NEWS OF THE CITY

Headquarters for holiday goods: Chicago Store.

Winter ads, page 10. Dedrick's. Good things for cold weather. See Dedrick's ad., page 10.

Diaries for 1902. See them at Sutherland's.

Oxford Bibles. Prices very low at Sutherland's Book Store.

Mixed nuts, 2 lbs., 25c. Xmas candies, 10c lb.; 3 for 25c. Baumann Bros.

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We make big reductions on clocks for holiday purchasers. T. P. Burns. See our list of useful things suitable for holiday presents in this issue. T. P. Burns.

You can get oysters cooked any style you like at the Baptist church tomorrow, Wednesday, evening from five to ten o'clock.

We are selling a regular \$1.50 ladies' kid glove in all colors for \$1.00 T. P. Burns.

Christmas sale and hot turkey supper at the congregational church Wednesday Dec. 18. Supper at 5:30. Prices that should attract a crowd a mile out of their way are quoted this evening by The Fair department store on South River street.

The ladies of the Congregational church will serve a hot turkey supper Wednesday evening at 5:30.

There will be a turkey supper after the Christmas sale at the Congregational church parlors, Wednesday evening. Everybody invited.

Ladies will be admitted free every afternoon and evening at the rink this week except Saturday evening.

Business was never so brisk as it has been this year with Bort, Bailey & Co. This hustling firm are making strong inducements in every department in the way of low prices.

Ladies having donations for St. Agnes Guild Xmas sale please send same to Mrs. Eva Smith, corner of Washington and Bluff streets, or deliver at store on morning of sale.

The Fair store prices in The Gazette of this evening should interest every careful buyer. See their large ad. Every item means money saved.

You will enjoy the social and supper at the Congregational church Wednesday evening. Be sure and be there at 5:30 o'clock.

St. Agnes Guild Xmas sale. Useful and fancy articles, candy and cake, in the store formerly occupied by the Richardson Shoe Co. Sale will commence on Saturday morning at 11 a. m., Dec. 21st.

Linon initial handkerchiefs for men, women and children. Silk initial handkerchiefs, linen handkerchiefs, hemstitched (any narrow hems to 1 in. wide; hand embroidered handkerchiefs. Bort, Bailey & Co.

Christmas sale at the Congregational church Wednesday afternoon and evening. Hot turkey supper at 5:30.

A regular monthly meeting of the board of education was held last evening and considerable routine business was transacted.

Beautiful reproductions of famous paintings, planotypes upon German mirror glass with handsome gilded frames. A most acceptable souvenir. A variety of sizes of each subject from 20c to \$5 each. Bort, Bailey & Co.

All kinds of pretty and useful articles for sale at the parlors of the Baptist church tomorrow, Wednesday afternoon and evening. Come and see them!

There will be a hot turkey supper at the Congregational church Wednesday evening at 5:30.

Remember the Christmas sale at the Congregational church Wednesday afternoon and evening. Supper served at 5:30 o'clock.

The Ladies Aid society of the Baptist church will meet in the church parlors tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock.

The large gift cross for the big spire on the St. Mary's church, arrived in the city this morning. It will be placed in position as soon as the weather permits.

Little Hazel Eastman, who has been so dangerously ill with diphtheria for the last six days at the home of her mother, Mrs. Cator, 151 W. Milwaukee street, is now pronounced out of danger.

Ladies will be admitted free every afternoon and evening at the rink this week except Saturday evening.

Don't forget the King's Daughters' sale in the parlors of the Baptist church tomorrow afternoon and evening. Cocoa will be served in the afternoon and oysters from 6 to 10 p. m.

Careful buying on the part of Amos Rehberg & Co this fall has resulted in one of the largest displays of holiday goods ever shown by a Janesville clothing firm. In the line of neckwear 50 cents goes a long ways at this popular price store.

Ladies will be admitted free every afternoon and evening at the rink this week except Saturday evening.

Eight clerks were required today to wait on the trade at the Fair department store on South River street. In every one of the many departments prices have been made that would attract any shrewd holiday buyer.

Judge F. M. Fish, of Racine, is still engaged in the circuit court in the trial of the case of Lawrence Cronin vs. the Janesville and Southeastern railroad. It is thought the case will take up the balance of today and part of tomorrow. The action was an appeal on the part of Cronin from the award of the commissioners in the condemnation proceedings, along the right of way of the railroad.

Joseph McCabe of Walla Walla, Wash., will arrive in this city this evening for a visit. Mr. McCabe was formerly in the employ of the Northwestern railroad. He is now vice president and general manager of the Oregon transportation and Navigation company.

We will please you here and surprise you with great values for little cost. Everybody expects handkerchiefs at Christmas time and this stock is able to meet every demand from 6 cents to 5 dollars. Bort, Bailey & Co.

New leafage: Ohio boiled cider; N. Y. sweet cider; N. Y. full cream cheese; At W. T. Vankirk's, 12 River St.

EXAMINATIONS IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Last Week of Studying, for the Boys and Girls Before the Holiday Vacation.

This week is the last week of school before the holiday vacation and students are busy wrestling with the terrors of examinations. In the high school, the students may find a loophole of escape from these reading tests for the custom of exempting students from examinations on certain conditions which has been followed for several years, is in full force this year. The conditions are: a class standing above the average of 75, good conduct, regular attendance and punctuality, and students meeting these requirements are on the recommendations of their teachers, exempted from examinations.

HOTEL ARRIVALS
Wisconsin people registered at the local hotels today:

Grand
C. H. Grant, Stevens Point; H. C. McCormick, Madison; H. E. Dally, Milwaukee; J. M. Smyth, Marshfield; Jas. H. Stewart, Milwaukee; H. W. Althouse, Madison; Charles W. Seymour, Milwaukee; Chas. Ross, E. S. Babcock, Madison; A. W. Willis, Milwaukee; H. J. Dunker, Milwaukee; Philip Cheek, Baraboo; James A. Bel Milwaukee; G. E. Sanger, Beloit; L. J. Ashton, Racine; R. M. Richmond, Evansville; H. C. Field, Milwaukee.

Hotel Myers
R. Snyder, Clinton; F. M. Fish, Racine; W. S. Hedges, Edgerton; Bert Butten, Milton Junction; E. Bright, Milwaukee; H. M. Richmond, Evansville; Lew Wyler, Milwaukee.

Park
M. A. Patchen, Clinton; W. R. Phillips, Evansville; Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Hall, Johnston; J. E. Burns, Beloit; John Bratt, Tiffany; George W. Goodman, Racine; J. H. Wilcox; C. T. Hanson, Milwaukee.

Quite a Costly Blaze
Quite a costly blaze occurred on Saturday evening at Toal & Ludlow's ladies' and children's furnishing store. Miss Toal was lighting the Webster burners in the display window and the wax taper in the lighter was so short that it fell out and dropped among the costly furs in the window. They blazed up quickly and in extinguishing the flames, Miss Toal's clothing caught on fire. Miss Ludlow hastened to her assistance and in putting out the fire, burned her hands quite painfully though not seriously. The window was filled with very nice goods and the financial damage proved quite heavy although the proprietors refused to place an estimate on their loss for publication. An insurance adjuster was in the city today for the purpose of effecting a settlement.

Had Stroke of Apoplexy
The many friends of Will R. Porter will be pained to hear that he suffered a severe stroke of apoplexy in Chicago last Friday and had not regained consciousness up to yesterday. Attend physicians say that Mr. Porter may rally from this attack but fear that a second stroke will follow. Mr. and Mrs. Porter have been in Chicago for the past two weeks. Mr. Porter went there for medical treatment. His sister, Miss Sue Porter, of Racine, is also with him.

Fred L. James of Evansville, transacted legal business in this city today. W. O. Newhouse visited lady friends in Clinton last night.

Regular meeting of Rock River (Hive No. 71, L. O. T. M. at East Side Odd Fellows' hall this evening at 7:30 sharp. All members are requested to be present.

Fine neckwear is at all times a gift that a man appreciates. For 50 cents, the clothing firm of Amos Rehberg & Co. are showing a line that includes all colors and styles. Mufflers are also shown here in large variety.

Purchase a suit for the boy as a Christmas gift. The suit you purchase now may be changed and fitted after the Christmas season without any extra expense. Amos Rehberg & Co. will explain to you the plan.

The Christmas sale at the Congregational church begins Wednesday afternoon at 3 p. m. Articles should be left in the Sunday school rooms by noon. The pharmacy booth contains 99 different articles.

Marriage licenses were issued today to John J. Baker and Rodie Anderson, both of the town of Avon; Neils Larson and Mary M. Larson, both of the town of Bradford.

There will be extra music at the rink tonight besides the orchestra. Don't fail to hear it.

The Chicago Store has some \$2.50 rugs which will make suitable gifts.

Best 3-lb can tomatoes.....10
3 cans best corn.....25
3 cans best peas.....25
3 cans best beans.....25
3-lb can California yellow peaches.....15
3-lb can California Bartlett pears.....10
3-lb can California apricots.....10
3 lb can California plums.....10
At Vankirk's, 12 River St.

Royal Baking Powder
Makes the bread more healthful.

Safeguards the food against alum.
Alum baking powders are the greatest menacers to health of the present day.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK.

NEWS OF A PERSONAL NATURE

J. E. Burns of Beloit was a visitor to this city yesterday.

John W. Bratt of Tiffany, and business in this city yesterday.

S. W. Menzies of Beloit had legal business in this city yesterday.

Miss Elizabeth Todd of Beloit called on friends in this city today.

Rev. J. J. Lugg of Milwaukee, was a visitor to this city today.

W. R. Phillips was down from Evansville yesterday on business.

R. M. Richmond of Evansville was in the city today on legal business.

B. Snyder of Clinton was a business visitor to this city yesterday.

Lew Wyler, of Milwaukee, an old Janesville boy was in the city today on business.

J. C. Reed was up from Beloit today on legal business.

Judge Dunwiddie is in Burlington today on business.

G. E. Sanger of Beloit spent yesterday in the city.

Miss May Norris was at Clinton yesterday taking testimony in a law suit.

Lowell M. McAfee, president of the Parks college, Parkville, Mo., a suburb of Kansas City, with his family are the guests of Rev. J. T. Henderson and family for a few days.

Miss Kittie Bishop of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, is visiting her sister, Miss Nellie Bishop, at the Myers.

HOLIDAY SALE
of GOOD COAL.

Now is the time to get our good Economy Coal.

Don't wait till the last few days. Jack Frost is bringing Xmas weather and you need our good coal to give him a hot reception.

JANESVILLE COAL COMPANY
Phone 89. Office: Riverside Laundry. Yards: South River and Oak.

Dollar

Saved

Is A

Dollar

Earned

Just to attract your attention we have placed on sale this week

Three Piece

Toilet Sets

in fancy boxes at

75c PER SET.

These toilet sets consist of comb, brush and mirror. They are exceptional bargains. Left over from last year. That's the whole secret of their cheapness. Holiday gifts fill our store.

McCUE & BUSS.
14 S. Main St. The Druggists. Phone 306.

RIVER ICE HAS SEWERAGE.
For your own health, as well as every member of the family, this is a point that you will do well to observe when placing your ice order for next season. To overcome this

USE CRYSTAL LAKE ICE
—ALWAYS PURE.

J. E. INMAN,
Many People

Are daily speaking a good word for our butter. Our wagon passes your home every day. If don't phone us.

SHURTLEFF & Co.
Both Phones, 184.

Peoples Drug Co.
Main and Milwaukee st.

King's Pharmacy
Milwaukee and Jackson st.

Piano Tuning!
W. F. Hursey, the expert piano tuner, is taking orders for piano tuning and repairing. Contracts made for the care of your piano by the year. Orders may be left at the Y. M. C. A. building.

W. F. HURSEY Telephone No. 93

SECOND COLD SPELL IS NOW IMPENDING

Entire Northwest is Threatened with an Attack of Rigorous Temperature—Falls Due Tonight.

A second cold spell is impending. The entire Northwest is threatened with an attack of rigorous "temperature" and it is on the authority of the weather wizards in Chicago and in Washington that somewhere in the British Northwest, in some cave of winds or cavern of icicles, a second edition of below-zero blasts is in process of formation.

The prophets after taking the public into their confidence and making people smile with reports on "the cold spell is at an end," took a long and careful squint into the British Northwest, where there is always something doing at his season of the year, and yesterday they discovered a new season of frigidity. It was without a quiver or any indication of pity whatever last night that the news was given out.

But today the people hereabouts may be fooled for a few hours. The temperature is to court the 8 above zero mark, snow is to fall here and then and everything will seem to say that a regulation winter day is on tap.

But for this evening a drop of the mercury is scheduled. The messenger from far-off Canada is then to arrive, and during Tuesday night people probably will know he has settled temporarily in Janesville.

The best that the experts could say last night is that the second cold snap is not to be quite so emphatic as the first. "It will harry drop to minus 12 (meaning 12 below zero)," said one of the prophets, "but it is going to be below zero and cold enough for those who want that sort of thing to feel satisfied." And the expert smiled sardonically.

Leather Traveling Bags
Leather Suit Cases,
Fibre Suit Cases,
Trunks the best in the land for the money.

JAMES SELKIRK,
6 N Main Street

GREAT SUCCESS

That's what our sale on moderate priced jewelry has been. Sale continues this week.

S. C. BURNHAM & CO.

Come and See Our Assortment of Holiday Goods.

We are showing the largest assortment of suitable presents in Janesville, including all such goods as are usually shown in drug stores at this time, and in addition we have the celebrated Fox Razors and shaving sets; Torrey's razor strops and pocket cutlery; Parker fountain pens; pocket books and purses; celluloid and ebony goods; atomizers and sets for the dresser; besides many other things suitable for presents. Also Jewelry.

KOERNER BROS.
Druggists.
Cor. Jackson and Milwaukee Sts.
Remember the number, 131 W. Milwaukee St.

"GIFTS FOR MEN"

A well chosen assortment of military hair brushes genuine ebony, sterling silver, mounted or plain, just as you please. Prices 2.00 to \$5.00 per pair.

Ebonoid military hair brushes, in large assortment, prices 1.50 to \$3 per pair. Genuine ebony hat brush and coat brush, prices \$1 to \$2.

Shaving mirrors, so handy as to be prized by any man, prices 25c to \$1.50

Cigars in Christmas packages, \$1 to \$8. Traveling cases in everything that can be desired, both roll and telescope shapes.

Many other gifts sure to be appreciated by sensible men.

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Gold Bonds

A Government Bond for a Christmas gift would please your wife wouldn't it? Then certainly a diamond would—for the investment is just as safe and there's the pleasure of wearing the most beautiful of all gems Let us show you what fifty or seventy five dollars will do.

HALL SAYLES & FIFIELD,
THE RELIABLE JEWELERS.

A Steady White Light

is BEST for the eyes

The Welshbach

gives it.

Any Tint Required

secured by using proper globes.

NEW GAS LIGHT CO.
Janesville, Wis.

GOOD COFFEE

People who are particular about the flavor of their coffee—people who know good coffee from bad coffee, and want the good are the people who are building up our coffee business. There is no adulteration, no substitution—every pound is honest coffee.

C. D. STEVENS,
Both Phones No. 30
7 N. Main St., Janesville, Wis.

Christmas Handkerchiefs

From 3c to \$5.
Fifty different styles

A. E. & A. T. SCHMIDLEY
Milwaukee Street

BORT, BAILEY & COMPANY

EXTRAORDINARY INDUCEMENTT FOR XMAS BUYERS

We have spared no pains to place before our patrons for the coming Xmas season, the most complete, useful and desirable line of first class Dry Goods articles that has ever been our privilege to offer.

Handkerchiefs

Handkerchiefs

Our stock of Ladies and Gents Handkerchiefs is without doubt the largest line ever to Janesville and they are sold at prices that mean a saving to you of ten to twenty-five per cent. Our 25 35c and 50c all linen embroidered handkerchiefs are marvels of beauty for the money.



EXTRA!!—A SALE OF RINGS!

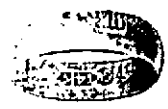
Solid Gold Shell Rings

Plain or Engraved, Gem Settings of Imitation Rubies, Turquoise, Emeralds, Pearls, Diamonds Opals—hard to distinguish from real stones.

With Every Ring a Guarantee that it will wear for years.

See Our Display in the Jewelry Department

Ladies, Misses, Gents and Babys Rings,



Prices 25c and 50c



Ladies and Childrens Cloaks

The full line of choice Beefeld Cloaks now on hand to be sold and below manufacturers prices.

\$25.00	Garrments	sold for	\$18.67
\$20.00	"	"	13.33
15.00	"	"	10.00
10.00	"	"	6.67
7.50	"	"	5.00
5.00	"	"	3.33

Art Pictures

Beautiful reproductions of famous paintings, planotyped upon German mirror glass with handsome gilded frames. A most acceptable souvenir. A variety of sizes of each subject from 20c to \$5 each.

Umbrellas

Just received, bought expressly for Christmas giving. Ladies' and men's Silk Umbrellas, exquisitely mounted with novelty handles, natural wood, onyx, pearl and ebony, the prettiest out at \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$3.00, \$4.00 and \$5.00.

Pillow Tops

More than 500 of the newest ideas in Art Pillow covers, a metropolitan assortment. Prices made low to clear the lot rapidly. The designs are a picture gallery of thought and at the low cost many a cozy corner will be brightened. 25c, 35c, 50c, for Pillow Tops

Brooches and Lace Pins

Beautifully designs set with Brilliants Rubies, Opals, Pearls, Turquoises, A manufacturers complete line, bought at 50 cents on the dollar and sold in the same way at 25c, 50c, 75c, and \$1.00

Mittens, 25c.

Fine Saxony mittens with fancy backs, for ladies, misses and children. Extreme values for 25c.

For the Babies

Knit saques, booties, Angora hoods, knit undershirts, silk and wool mittens, soft hair brushes, leg-gings, wool rolls, pinning blankets.

Combs

Side combs, back combs, pompadour combs, side combs of shell, amber and black, all of the very latest styles you will find them.

Huck Towels, 45x27

The largest, finest linen huck towel ever shown in this city. You would guess 40 or 50c on it. We bought 100 dozen as a leader. They go at 25c.

Harvard and Oxford Mufflers

for ladies and gents. The very latest Mufflers. We show a complete line from 50c to \$1.50.

Fur Scarfs

With the large fluffy tail are the latest for the neck. we call particular attention to our line at \$6.50, \$7.50 and 10.00

Table Linens and Napkins

We have made an extra effort to secure the very best values for our Xmas trade.

Ladies Fur Muffs

A complete line of all the popular furs in the correct shape. On this line we save you big money.

Rugs

Nothing better for a gift than a rug. We show a beautiful line of velvet, axminster and Smyrnae, both in the large floor and mat sizes. All at popular prices.

Rugs

No. 40, Taffeta Ribbons, 25c

We will show you all shades, the heaviest and finest silk Taffeta Ribbon. No. 40, comprising all the newest shades—Cerule, Cadet, Imperial, Reine, Coquelicot and all the new colorings.

Stick Pins and Hat Pins.

An immense line of samples, set with beautiful stones, at 5c, 10c, 15c, 25c. We are sure to please you on this line.

Kid Gloves and Mittens.

A complete line of colors and black. Ours we guarantee and sell them to you a little cheaper than you can find them elsewhere.

In placing before you our fine line of Xmas Dry Goods we guarantee you the best qualities and the lowest Prices.

Our Store Open Every evening, commencing Wednesday.

BORT, BAILEY & CO.

INVASION BY ARGENTINA.

Report Which It Confirmed Will Accurate Trouble with Chile.

Santiago de Chile, Dec. 17.—A report has been received here of another alleged invasion of southern Chile by Argentine troops. Should this be true, it will create new difficulties between the two countries.

Buenos Ayres, Dec. 17.—The reply of the government of Argentina to the Chilean note was dispatched at 3 o'clock p. m. This reply is conceived in terms which leave doubt as to its acceptance by Chile.

City of Mexico, Dec. 17.—The Argentine delegates to-day denied the report current in the United States that they will withdraw from the Pan-American congress this week.

High Water Recedes.

Philadelphia, Pa., Dec. 17.—With the news that the floods in eastern Pennsylvania are subsiding, come reports of death and damage by the high water. Dozens of coal mines and hundreds of industrial concerns were flooded, throwing 40,000 men into idleness. The Susquehanna river, which rose at some points twenty-nine feet above low water mark, is going down gradually, except in the lower end of the state, where it is reported to be rising two inches an hour. The good reports from up-river points, however, have allayed fear.

Wreck Victims Are Eleven.

Rockford, Ill., Dec. 17.—According to figures furnished at the local office of the Illinois Central to-day the number of persons killed in the disaster near Perryville yesterday morning is eleven, with two more reported as missing. The names added for the day were: Walter Johnson, Chicago, negro waiter, employed by the Illinois Central; George Reynolds, Irene, section foreman; Harry Reynolds, Irene.

Louis Botha Reported Wounded.

London, Dec. 17.—A dispatch from Durban states that a message received there from Nkandhla, Zululand, dated Dec. 6 and delayed in transit, tells of a recent action near Luneberg, Transvaal, in which Commandant Louis Botha was severely shot through the left leg. He only escaped capture by crawling into the bushes. His present whereabouts is unknown to his own followers.

Ohio Republicans in Fight.

Columbus, Ohio, Dec. 17.—It is rumored that in the event the Republican factional row in Ohio is not settled by the holiday recess, both Senators Hanna and Foraker will come direct from Washington to Columbus to take personal charge of the opposing forces now struggling to control the organization of the legislature.

No one can reasonably hope for good health unless his bowels move once each day. When this is not attended to, disorders of the stomach arise, biliousness, headache, dyspepsia, and piles soon follow. If you wish to avoid these ailments keep your bowels regular by taking Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets when required. They are so easy to take and mild and gentle in effect. For sale by Peoples Drug Store and Kings' Pharmacy.

Cuban Imports Show Decrease. Washington, Dec. 17.—A comparative statement of the commerce of Cuba for the fiscal years 1901 and 1900, issued by the division of Insular Affairs of the war department today, shows that the value of merchandise imported during the fiscal year 1901 was \$65,050,141, against \$71,681,187 in 1900, and the value of merchandise exported during 1901 was \$63,115,321, against \$45,228,846 for 1900. This indicates a decrease of 9.3 per cent in the value of imports and an increase of 39.5 per cent in the value of exports.



"My Wife Became Anxious."

There is cause for anxiety when a cough hangs on for a year and can't be shaken off. The quickest way to relieve that anxiety is to begin at once the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It is a cough remedy, but it is also a great deal more. In advanced stages of disease, when hemorrhages have been frequent, and there have been emaciation and weakness, "Golden Medical Discovery" has produced a perfect cure. It increases the supply of the life fluid—blood. It cleanses the blood from impurities, and sends a current of rich, new blood to build up the weak places in the body with new life.

The "Discovery" is strictly a temperance medicine, non-alcoholic and non-narcotic.

"For one year I was troubled with a cough," writes Mr. H. E. Curtis, of Sumner, Bremer Co., Iowa. "As I continued to cough during the summer, my wife became anxious, and wrote to Dr. R. V. Pierce for medical advice. It seemed to us that we could not go to a better source for advice, and so it proved, as the 'Golden Medical Discovery,' which was recommended, proved just the medicine to effect a cure. Dr. Pierce and his medicines are 'As good as wheat,' as the farmers used to say."

Bad taste in the mouth is removed by using Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets.

Job Lots of
WOOD AT **\$4.75**
per Cord.

Leave orders at People's Drug Store or phone the yard—No. 636

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PHONE 636 City Office at People's Drug Store

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365 NIGHTS
IN EACH YEAR
WHY NOT TRY A
Racine Surprise Spring Bed?

Easel Comfort! Durability! No Squeak!

Dust and Vermin Proof. Guaranteed not to Sag. Self adjusting to any Weight. Will not Hammock.

Your Dealer Sells It. ASK TO SEE IT. Insist on having It. Be Satisfied MANUFACTURED BY **RACINE SURPRISE SPRING BED COMPANY, RACINE, WIS.**

BY... JAMESVILLE: W. H. Ashcraft; Moses Bros. Furniture BROS. BELOIT: C. W. Rant; THOS. D. Craig; EDGEMONT: W. H. Clarke; EVANSVILLE: Young & Melnick; MILTON JUNCT.: G. A. Yerkes; CLINTON: M. P. Treat & Co. OXFORDVILLE: Gilman Peterson

GOOD MUSIC ALL THIS WEEK

BALDWIN & REHFELD'S

Orchestra will play at the **PALACE RINK**

all this week. No extra charge for admission

PALACE RINK

Xmas Slippers.

all kinds and styles. Nothing will make a more acceptable present. Buy them now, before sizes get broken. Prices are 50 cents and upwards.

Felt Shoes

will keep your feet warm. We have them and the prices are right. If you do not want a slipper we can give you

Shoes

Something That Will Suit You.

Men's Best Enamel Welt Sole Shoes, \$3.50 and \$5.00.

Men's Best Box Calf or Vici Welt Sole, 3.00, 3.50 and \$5.

Men's Satin Calf Shoes, 2.00 and \$2.50.

Ladies' Enamel welt sole shoes, 3.00 to \$5. Heavy sole, 2.50, 3.00 and \$3.50.

Hand turned, 3.00, 3.50 and \$4.00.

Misses Enamel Shoes, \$2.00.

Misses' Kid, heavy sole, 1.50 and \$2.00.

Children's, kid, heavy sole, 80c, \$1.00, \$1.25

Boys' heavy sole shoes, 1.50, 2.00 and \$2.50.

Youths' heavy sole shoes, 1.25 and \$1.50.

We have got the Shoes to exchange for money and we invite your inspection of our immense stock.

MAYNARD SHOE CO.
Successors to C. C. BENNETT SHOE CO.

West End of Bridge. The Foot Fitting Shoe Men. We run a first-class repair shop, best of work guaranteed.

LOW TAKES MAYOR'S OATH.

New York's Future Executive Deviates from Time-Worn Custom.

New York, Dec. 17.—Seth Low, to the great surprise of politicians of all parties, was sworn in yesterday as mayor of New York. The oath was administered by Justice Morgan J. O'Brien, of the appellate division of the supreme court in his private chamber in the court building. In taking the oath of office two weeks before the time he will take his seat at the city hall, Mayor-elect Low has deviated from the usual custom, which is to be sworn in on Jan. 1. It was his intention to make public nearly his entire cabinet which have caused one or two changes in the slate. The appointments announced are those of water supply, gas and electricity; J. Hampden Dougherty, commissioner; Gustav Lindenthal, bridge commissioner; Willis L. Ogden, William A. Ferrine, Alexander T. Mason, Cornelius Vanderbilt, William A. Dykman, Theodore M. Banta and Nelson S. Spencer, civil service commissioners.



The Holiday Season

is here, and it is time you were making your selection of Christmas gifts. If you are going to purchase musical instruments you should come to our store and examine our stock. We offer you the best piano values at the lowest possible prices, and we make the most liberal terms.

H. F. NOTT

It's Easy To See Why

you save money burning our good clean coal. We sell you nothing but

Honest Coal

—all coal—that gives its full measure of heat. Slate, dirt and impurities won't burn and moreover they clog the fires and cause troubles. To get your money's worth—let us send you a ton of good clean coal.

W. H. BONESTEEL.

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Livery,

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Opposite Grand Hotel. Both Phones
JANESVILLE

Presents From Our Store....

Are very reasonable in price. We sell new goods as well as second hand articles.

See us for Furniture or Stoves

J. T. WAGGONER & CO.,
215 West Milwaukee Street



AND MAY ITS LIGHT NEVER GROW DIM!

It won't if your house is lighted by electricity. Let Santa Claus touch the button and we will provide Christmas brilliancy for your house or Christmas trees. No danger, dirt or inconvenience.

JANESVILLE ELECTRIC CO.
31 West Milwaukee Street.



SOMETHING GOOD FOR
.....XMAS.....
— IS —

.....BUOB'S BEER AND ALE.....
Order now and we will send a case to your home promptly.

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HOLIDAY GOODS

We carry the largest stock of Books, Games, Game Boards, Toilet Sets, Gloves, Handkerchiefs, Collar and Guff boxes, Manicure Sets, Hand and Triplicate Mirrors, Pocketbooks, Gold and Fountain Pens, Bibles, Catholic and Episcopal Prayer Books, Dairies, Calendars, Xmas Cards, Fancy Box Papers, Pictures and Frames. It will pay you to call and see our large display. Prices the lowest. Cloth bound books from 10c up. Open evenings until after Xmas.

Five Floors Full Of Goods

NO. 12 S. MAIN ST. E. SIDE OF RIVER
JANESVILLE, WISCONSIN.

GIFT GIVERS
LOOK HERE!

This week our display of holiday gifts has been doubled. We are showing an extra fine line of

NECKWEAR
50 Cts.

ROBINSON BROS.

DR. WILLIAMS' INDIAN FILE OINTMENT is a SURE CURE for Eczema, Itching Piles, It absorbs the tumors, always the itching at once, gives instant relief. Every box is warranted. Sold by druggists. Sent by mail on receipt of price, 50 cents and \$1.00 per box. **WILLIAMS' MFG. CO.,** Props., Cleveland, Ohio.

King's Pharmacy, Peoples' Drug Company

OPERA GLASSES!



Should Be
In Every Home

For holiday buyers we have made extra efforts to please. This week we offer, you 200 pairs of as fine a line as have ever been brought to Janesville.

Prices Range From 3 to \$35

SEE OUR WINDOW DISPLAY.

OUR LINE OF JEWELRY

fills several show cases. Ask to see the Silver novelties that we are showing for little money.

F. C. COOK & CO.

Opposite Post Office.

Janesville, Wisconsin.

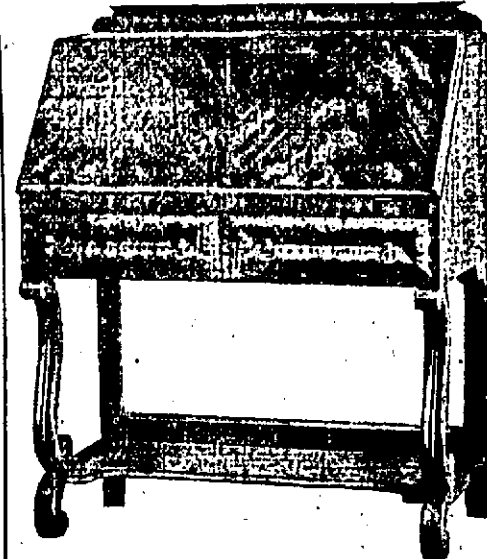
PUTNAM'S

Beautiful Holiday

Furniture and Crockery

Have you seen the gorgeous display of Holiday Goods at Putnam's? It has taken months of tireless efforts to gather these showings, and busy hands have been at work for weeks in arranging and displaying the goods as they arrived. Our stock of furniture, china, dolls, toys, &c., have been bought with such great care, that we offer the lowest prices ever known and bound to sustain our well earned reputation of being the greatest economy stores in Janesville.

FURNITURE ATTRACTIONS
Very much out of the ordinary.



The above cut shows one of the beautiful mahogany ladies' desks to be found in our stock. It is made of the most beautiful mahogany with the most graceful lines and curves. We would suggest it as an excellent gift for some lady.

Dolls and Toys,
China Glassware,
Bric-a-Brac. & &

Decidedly most
uncommon val-
ues. & & &

If you want to buy a very hand-
some Dinner Set at a surprisingly
small outlay of money, you must
come to Putnam's Store.

Cut
Glass & &

If you want a brilliant piece of
American Cut Glass at prices never
before offered to you, you must
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Fancy
China & &

If you want a cup and saucer, cho-
colate pot, colory tray, salad bowl
and plates in the finest Austrian or
French china, you will find it at
Putnam's store.

Largest Showing of Toys and Dolls
for the little ones at 5, 10, 15, 25, 50, 75 cents ever displayed in the
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C. S. & E. W. PUTNAM,
8 and 10 South Main St. Furniture and Crockery Dealers.

Store Open Every Evening.

Don't
Spend a
Dollar

In either the Shoe or Clothing line, until
you inspect our display. For this week
we offer you a line of

\$3.00
Shoes

that others ask more money for. In our
Clothing Department our line of fancy
neck scarfs, suspenders and neckwear at

50 Cts.

should interest and assist you in making
your holiday gift.

AMOS REHBERG & CO.

Shoes & Clothing.

Two Complete Dept.

THE WORLD LOVES THE CHEERFUL GIVER

You will find here the choicest array of appropriate Holiday Gifts ever displayed in this city, both domestic and foreign, fresh from the looms and mills and they are works of art. Remember the Golden Rule is applied here in measurement and exchange.

Cloaks, Suits, Silks and Flannel Waists, Skirts, and Furs, all to be found Here. The Newest Here---No old Carried-Over Cloaks.

Holiday Novelties.

Even with the amount of space we are unable to give you a list of our entire assortment. This season our goods are so much prettier than any description we can give of them in print. For the Holiday buyers this week we have made extra preparations. A glance over the following may assist you:

All grades of Table Linen; Napkins; Towels; stamped Linen; Sofa Pillows; Chenille and Damask Table Covers; White Bed Spreads; home made Bed Comforters; all grades of Blankets; all grades of Dress Goods; all grades of Silks and Velvets; all grades of ladies' gents' and childrens' Underwear; gents' wool Overshirts; gents' laundered percale Shirts; gents' and ladies' outing flannel Night Shirts; gents' Gardigan Jackets; gents' laundered and unlaundered White Shirts; ladies' Muslin Underwear; all grades of ladies' gents' and childrens' Hosiery in cotton, fleece lined and wool; ladies' and childrens' Leggings; ladies' Kid Gloves; ladies' cashmere Mittens; ladies' Kidd Mittens; gents' Kidd Gloves; gents' lined Kidd Mitts and Gloves; all grades of Carpet Art Squares; Moquette Rugs; Persian Rugs; Hassocks; Lace Curtains; Damask Curtains; Chenille Curtains; Carpet Sweepers.



Holiday Novelties.

This season we can freely say that we are showing a collection of holiday goods that leaves no wish in our line unsatisfied, at prices that are in accord with the governing principal that has made this store famous. A glance over the following list is sure to assist you in making your Christmas purchases, and every article and piece of goods here mentioned is marked at prices that cannot help but claim the attention of posted buyers:

Handkerchiefs by the wholesale for ladies, gents and children in cotton, linen and silk; gents' cashmere Mufflers; gents' silk Mufflers; gents' and ladies' ties; gents' and boys' Suspenders; Pocket Books, Belts; Buckles; Perfumery; ladies' and gents' Umbrellas; Fans; White Aprons and Gingham Aprons; Wool Fascinators; ladies' flannel Undershirts; ladies' fancy stripe Taffeta Undershirts; ladies' flannelette House Dresses; ladies' wool Dress Skirts; ladies' fancy silk and wool Waists; Mackintoshes; Baby Cloaks; Feather Boas; ladies' Muffs, all grades; ladies' Fur Scarfs; all grades and styles in ladies' Fur Collarettes; all styles of ladies' fur and cloth Capes; and last but not least, all our new and stylish cloaks at great reduction.

Economy and reliability go hand in hand here. Come and reap the benefits of our Christmas bargains. All presents held and delivered at wish of purchaser. We invite sightseers.

T. P. BURNS

Buy useful presents for your relatives and friends and they are sure to be appreciated. We greet you this year with a selection second to none in Rock County.

YOUR WANTS

Can Be Made Known Through The Gazette Want Column. 3 Lines 3 Times For 25c.

The following letters await owner in the Gazette counting room: "B," "X," "G," "W," and "A H W."

WANTED—A good kitchen girl at Hotel Myers. Apply at once.

WANTED—A competent girl for general housework. Apply to Mrs. Wheelock, 103 East street.

WANTED—By a competent printer, a position. Capable of taking charge of office. Address E. B. Gazette.

WANTED—Work by young man with family. Very much interested in work, particularly what kind. Call or write A. J. Scott 215 South High.

WANTED—Married man to take charge of stock farm. Good house. Steady job for reliable man. Call at Brown Bros' shoe store.

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework in small family. Inquire at 407 Court street.

WANTED—Young girl about 15 years of age, who may attend school. Inquire of Mrs. Mulville, 211 1/2 S. Main street.

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Warm room with board; reasonable. Address A. Z. Gazette.

FOR RENT—Two large rooms. Call on or address 219 N. Jackson street.

FOR RENT—One-half of Buckle Factory building, suitable for tobacco or manufacturing purposes. Geo. Woodruff, Adm'r.

FOR RENT—A seven-room house in good condition. Well and clean water. Inquire at 202 Locust street.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE, CHEAP—Parlor cabinet as good as new. Inquire at Gazette office.

FOR SALE—A genuine buffalo overcoat in splendid condition; reasonable; cheap. Apply at 129 Terrace street.

MISCELLANEOUS

LOST—Black leather purse, containing money, papers, key, etc., between Sinclair St. and Court Street church. Finder return it to Gazette office and receive reward.

LOST—Brown leather purse, somewhere on Main or East Milwaukee street, containing money, stamps and paper with owner's name. Finder please return to Gazette and receive reward.

LIVE STOCK MARKET

(BY SCRIPPS' & SONS' LEADERS) Chicago, Dec. 17, 1901.

Receipts of cattle 6,000.

Hooves..... \$1.25 @ \$1.25

Stocks..... 3.00 @ 4.00

Texans..... 3.00 @ 4.00

Hog Receipts—Hogs 42,000.

Light..... 5.25 @ 6.20

Mixed..... 6.15 @ 6.50

Heavy..... 5.80 @ 6.10

Rough..... 6.25 @ 6.50

Pigs..... 6.00 @ 6.50

Receipts of Sheep 11,000.

Native..... 2.25 @ 4.25

Western..... 3.00 @ 4.25

Lambs..... 3.50 @ 4.50

Wheat—Dec..... 70 1/2 @ 71

Corn—Dec..... 60 1/2 @ 61

Oats—Dec..... 44 1/2 @ 45 1/2

Barley..... 50 @ 53

STATE OF WISCONSIN—County Court for Rock County.

In Probate.

Notice is hereby given that at a regular term of the county court, to be held in and for said county, at the court house, in the city of Janesville, in said county, on the first Tuesday of Jan. A. D. 1902, being Jan. 7th, 1902, at nine o'clock a. m., the following matter will be heard and considered.

The application of J. M. Clark for the adjustment and allowance of his final account as administrator of the estate of Fred L. Church, late of the town of Milton, in said county, deceased, and for the assignment of the residue of said estate to such other persons as by law are entitled thereof.

Dated Dec. 3rd, 1901.

By the Court,
J. W. SALE,
County Jud.



PAN CAKE WEATHER

This is not the time when you detect the full goodness of our

Buckwheat and Syrup.

Self Rising, pkg..... 10c

Purity, per sack..... 20c

New York, per sack..... 35c

Ohio Maple Syrup, gal..... \$1 15

Vermont Maple Syrup..... \$1 15

Vermont Maple Syrup 1/2 gal..... 65c

Pure Maple, in bulk, qt..... 25c

Pure Maple, in bulk, gal..... 95c

Table Syrup, qt can..... 10c

Best Dairy Butter, lb..... 23c

White Flour, sack..... 95c

Very best patent. Can't buy it in car load lot at this price.

DEDRICK BROS.

Christmas Goods At Wholesale Prices.

Hand decorated lamps, complete, from 1.00 to..... \$6
Story books, latest authors, 10c to..... 15c
Children's silk hoods, from 25c to..... 35c
Ladies' embroidery & lace edged handkerchiefs, from 5c to 25c
Choice bed blankets, per pair..... 85c
Shetland floss and ice wool fascinators..... 45c up
Fringed napkins, each..... 5c
Children's handkerchiefs, 3 for..... 5c
Fancy doilies, all shapes and sizes..... 15c up
Children's wool fleeced mitts, per pair..... 5c
Finest chamber toilet sets; scissors, razors and table cutlery; 6 Ivory handled knives, regular price \$2, only..... \$1.00
All kinds of Rubber Goods for the feet.
A \$12 overcoat for..... \$8
20 pounds granulated sugar..... \$1
Fifty best flour in the city..... 95c
1 seeded or 1 pound Muscatel raisins..... 8c
1 package cleaned currants..... 10c
Cit on, lemon or orange peel, per pound..... 15c
The best cooking potatoes in the city, per bushel..... 90c
Janesville canned corn..... 7c

And many more articles bought especially for the occasion at

Prices That Will Please All.

THE FAIR

STORE,

Corner River and Dodge Streets.